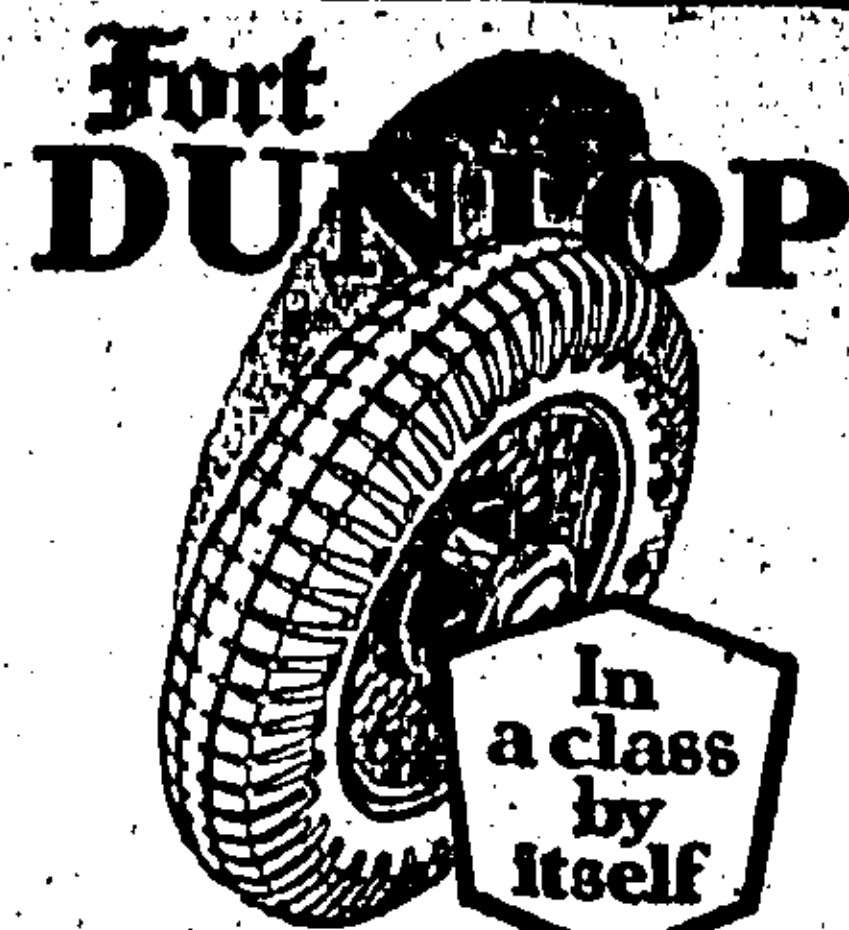


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UNEMPLOYED DISORDERS NEAR HYDE PARK

Hostile Crowds Face Police in the Vicinity of Marble Arch

ROYAL ROMANCE RUMOURS AGAIN

PRINCESS INGRID PAYS VISIT TO LONDON

London, Oct. 27.
Princess Ingrid of Sweden arrived in London this afternoon, having flown from Belgium, where she has been staying, to Croydon in an Imperial Airways liner.

The Princess usually visits her grandfather, the Duke of Connaught, at least once yearly. It was recently reported that Princess Ingrid's engagement to Prince George would be announced, but this was officially denied.

Rumour still persists, however, that a betrothal is impending. It is now suggested that when Prince George reaches the age of 30, as he will do on December 20, his birthday gift from His Majesty will be a Dukedom, which may be followed by the announcement of his forthcoming wedding to Princess Ingrid.

Royalty-wise London gossipers of another school, however, still link the Princess's name with that of the Prince of Wales.—*British Wireless and N.E.A.*

CHINA CONDITIONS OUTLINED

STATEMENT MADE IN COMMUNIS

London, Oct. 27.
In a statement on the general conditions in China, the Foreign Under Secretary, Capt. Anthony Eden, in the House of Commons to-day, said reports had been received of hostilities in Szechuan and Shantung. In Shantung, Chinese had changed hands, having been occupied without disturbance by the forces of General Han Fu-chu, Chairman of the Provincial Government. Fighting continued, but no danger to British life or property was apprehended.

Some improvement appeared to have been effected in the Communist situation in Central and South China during the past few months, and military operations had succeeded in driving Communist forces to a distance from Hankow and in partially clearing the Hankow Valley.

Normal conditions had not yet been restored along the Peking-Hankow railway.—*British Wireless.*

U.S. DELEGATE TO GENEVA

FAREWELL TALK WITH PREMIER

London, Oct. 27.
Prior to his departure for Geneva, Mr. Norman Davis, chief United States delegate to the Disarmament Conference, paid a farewell visit to the Prime Minister at the House of Commons this afternoon, when, it is understood, a further conversation was held on the disarmament question.—*British Wireless.*

LABOUR MOTION REJECTED

SECOND READING FOR OTTAWA BILL

London, Oct. 27.
The House of Commons to-night rejected a Labour motion to-night the rejection of the Ottawa Agreements Bill.

The Bill was subsequently given a second reading by 425 votes to 77.—*Reuter.*

"HUNGER" MARCH ON LONDON

GREETED BY ENORMOUS CROWDS

RIOTS AS SEQUEL

LONDON, OCT. 27.
DISTURBANCES BROKE OUT IN THE WEST END OF LONDON IN THE VICINITY OF THE MARBLE ARCH THIS AFTERNOON, MARKING THE ARRIVAL OF SOME TWO THOUSAND UNEMPLOYED HUNGER MARCHERS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

Scenes of disorder were many, but on the whole they did not develop gravely, although the police were compelled to make a number of arrests. Shop-windows were broken in Oxford Street and Edgware Road, while a huge crowd assumed a very hostile attitude to the police, compelling a mounted charge.

The hunger marchers themselves were not involved in the disorders. Left-wing members of the House of Commons urged the Speaker to permit an immediate debate on the grievances of the unemployed marchers, the Speaker pointing out that it was for the House to decide.

MARCHERS INNOCENT OF DISORDER

The riots were the consequence of the demonstration of the hunger marchers, even while none of their number took an active part.

The principal scene of disorder was the junction of Oxford Street and Edgware Road, where rowdies came into conflict with the police, gathered their forces and began to smash windows.

HOSTILE CROWD.

A huge crowd collected and assumed a very hostile attitude to the police when an arrest was made. The situation looked extremely ugly for the moment, but mounted policemen charged and dispersed the crowd.

Mounted officers were also kept very busy dealing with minor disorders at other points, bearing the appearance of organised outbreaks. The mobs were swiftly broken up, however, and order restored without really serious incident. Three further arrests were made as a result of these disturbances.

MASS MEETING.

The parties of unemployed, together numbering over 2,000 with others still yet to come, have been marching upon London from different parts of England with a view to a demonstration against the operation of the Means Test and the Government's economy cuts as a whole.

They held a mass meeting to-day in Hyde Park, with the permission of the Commissioner of Police.

They were given food and accommodation in the boroughs on the outskirts of London yesterday and to-day their processions were led by the police through London's thoroughfare and the different parties met for the first time at the mass meeting, in which thousands of other people joined.

Such a large crowd awaited their arrival that the police actually had to force a way through the medley to enable them to reach the place appointed for the mass meeting. There many speakers, mounted on carts, addressed the crowd.

HUNGER MARCHERS ORDERLY.

In the main, the proceedings were orderly and good-natured, the police having no difficulty with the hunger marchers themselves.

The disturbances occurred outside the Park. The first sign

of trouble was the collection of a group of unruly elements who started throwing stones. The police drew their batons and cleared the streets. Half a dozen police and demonstrators received minor injuries and several onlookers were hurt through the pressure of the crowds.

After their meeting, the main body of the marchers left Hyde Park in an orderly fashion. It is emphasised that while disturbances were going on outside, they remained listening to the speakers and took no part in the disorders outside the Park.

COMMONS' DISCUSSION.

In the House of Commons the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. George Lansbury asked that time might be saved on the remaining stages of the Ottawa Agreements Bill so that unemployment might be discussed. The Prime Minister undertook that, if possible, this should be done.

Other Labour members requested leave to move the adjournment of the House to discuss this subject in view of the arrival of the unemployed demonstrators in London.

The speaker said he was unable to accept the motion as the Government had promised to bring in a Bill dealing with the Means Test which dealt with the unemployment problem.

He advised the Labour members that the correct course was the presentation of a petition to the Commons asking permission for a deputation of the unemployed marchers to appear at the bar of the House to present their case. This advice is being followed and the petition will be presented early next week.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

ADMIRAL'S NEW POST

SIR WM. FISHER TO MALTA

London, Oct. 27.
Vice-Admiral Sir William Fisher left London to-day for Malta, where he will take over as Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet.

Sir William has commanded the 1st Battle Squadron and been



Demonstrators who recently came into conflict with the police at Marble Arch being marched off.

ULTIMATUM TO CAROL

EX-QUEEN HELEN'S DEMANDS

MAY TAKE LEGAL ACTION

Bucharest, Oct. 27.
The exiled ex-Queen, Princess Helen has lodged a demand with King Carol for a twenty per cent. increase in her annual allowance, permission to spend six months every year with his son, Crown Prince Michael, and the maintenance of a palace for her use.

It is said that Princess Helen has informed Carol that if these demands are not granted, she will attempt to secure them by legal action.

The belief is entertained that Princess Helen's demands are the



Princess Helen (left) and King Carol. sequel to the sudden recall of Prince Michael from England where he was paying a visit to his mother.

King Carol's action caused greater surprise in view of reports that he originally intended to put the Crown Prince to school in England for a while. It is thought that Carol took exception to British newspaper features regarding the reunion of Princess Helen and her son.—*Reuter.*

SIR W. LAYTON'S SUCCESSOR

MR. PHILLIPS OF THE TREASURY

London, Oct. 27.
Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, the British delegate on the Preparatory Committee for the forthcoming World Economic Conference, is to be joined by Mr. F. Phillips, C. B., his Treasury colleague.

The appointment has been made by the Prime Minister in consequence of the resignation of Sir Walter Layton. Mr. Phillips is a Permanent Under-Secretary in the Treasury Department, officiating as Deputy Controller of the Finance and Supply Services Department.—*Reuter.*

Second in Command of the Mediterranean Fleet since 1930. He has had a distinguished career, and during the Great War was present at the Battle of Jutland, being in command of H. M. S. St. Vincent.—*British Wireless.*

GERMAN C-IN-C. IN BOLIVIA

BUT PEACE EFFORTS PROMISE WELL

(Our Own Correspondent).

London, Oct. 27.
The Bolivian Government has appointed a German General as commander-in-chief of the Bolivian forces in the Gran Chaco war zone.

The defences along the front are being considerably strengthened.

At the same time comes a report that the struggle between Bolivia and Paraguay in the Gran Chaco is expected to cease, both having agreed to the 'neutrals' proposal for a truce pending arbitration.

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN RELATIONS

ON QUITE FRIENDLY FOOTING

London, Oct. 27.
Asked whether he could make any statement as to the relations existing between the British Government and the present Government of Egypt, and whether the latter is one with which these relations may be developed in the direction of a settlement of outstanding questions, the Foreign Under Secretary, Capt. Anthony Eden, in the House of Commons to-day, stated he was happy to say relations with the Egyptian Government were entirely friendly.

The British Government made no reservation in regarding the present Egyptian Administration as one with which Anglo-Egyptian relations both have been and may continue to be developed at a time and in the manner which appear most suitable for the purpose.—*British Wireless.*

CHILD FEARED DROWNED

FALLS OVERBOARD FROM JUNK

Tragedy befel a family on a cargo boat, No. 1630A, in the harbour last evening. The adult members had gone to the afterpart of the craft to prepare the evening meal, leaving the master's 3-year-old daughter sleeping. As they thought, peacefully in hold amidships.

Half-an-hour afterwards, they returned to the hold and were shocked to find her missing. Following on the discovery a search was made in the water, but the child was not seen again. It is believed that she in some way managed to clamber out of the not very deep hold and was drowned when she fell overboard.

WAR LOAN SLIGHTLY UP

London, Oct. 27.
When the Stock Markets closed to-day, leading British stocks showed a slight change on the day, with War Loan Assented up 1/16th.—*British Wireless.*

DISCORD RUMOURS

HINDENBURG AND VON PAPEN

NO FOUNDATION FOR REPORTS

(Our Own Correspondent).

Berlin, Oct. 27.
President Hindenburg has authorised the publication of a statement that the Chancellor, Herr von Papen, now, as before, enjoys his full confidence.

This pronouncement has been issued in order to counteract rumours to the effect that the President is dissatisfied with von Papen on account of the decision of the Supreme Court at Leipzig in the Prussian Constitutional question.

In effect, the decision established two governments in Prussia.

The Court held that President Hindenburg did not infringe the constitution in appointing Herr von Papen as State Commissioner and authorising him to depose the Prussian Ministers, but at the same time, found that the State Commissioner was not entitled to deprive the men deposed of their right to represent Prussia in the Diet.

H.M.S. HERMES IN AGAIN

STAYING UNTIL THE EAGLE ARRIVES

Preceded by two flights of aeroplanes, which arrived at Kai Tak aerodrome soon after dawn, H.M.S. Hermes steamed into port this morning.

The Hermes will remain here until May next when she will be relieved by H.M.S. Eagle, the giant 22,000 ton aircraft carrier, more than twice the size of the Hermes.

H.M.S. Bridgewater has left Chefoo, and is expected to arrive in Hongkong within the next three or four days.

H.M.S. Cumberland will now leave Hongkong for England, where she will be refitted and recommissioned before returning to Hongkong on November 3.

The middle of next week will see no fewer than fifteen foreign warships in port in Hongkong, the largest number that has been here for some years. They will include the French flagship Primauguet and the French sloop Argus, the American destroyer depot ship U.S.S. Black Hawk, the U.S.S. Fulton, which has been assigned to South China Waters and ten American destroyers, namely, the Whipple, Smith-Thompson, Barker, John D. Edwards, Post, Edsall, Stuart, Pilo, Paul Jones, and the Pillsbury. The U.S.S. Black Hawk and the destroyers which arrive on November 2 will remain in port a week before proceeding to their home base at Manila.

The U.S.S. Houston, the flagship of the American Asiatic Squadron, with the Commander-in-Chief, Admiral M.M. Taylor, aboard, will arrive here on November 12. Accompanying the U.S.S. Houston will be the Commander-in-Chief's private yacht, the Isabel.

MANCHULI MUTINY HISTORY

JAPANESE JOURNAL'S ALLEGATIONS

SOVIET BACKING OF UPRISING

Harbin, Oct. 28.
Soviet collaboration in the recent mutiny of Manchukuo forces in Northern Manchuria, which resulted in the seizure of control of a huge area from the Manchukuo authorities, including Manchuli and Hailar, is again alleged in the Japanese-owned *Harbin Times*.

The newspaper alleges that shortly before the mutiny at Manchuli, popular military restaurants were opened up in the city by Chinese immigrants from Russia.

When the mutiny occurred, these immigrants, with several Russian immigrants, became machine-gunners for the mutineers, having clearly undergone intensive training.

SOVIET SLOGANS.

The paper also alleges that the political department attached to the headquarters of the mutineers is now placarding the occupied territory with slogans such as "Away with Capitalists," "Welcome the Friendship of the Soviet," "Workers of the World Unite."—*Reuter.*

KOWLOON TRAFFIC CASES

CONTROLLED AREA SPEEDING

At this morning's Magistrate's Court, Mr. J. G. Raven, of N.A.A.F.I., was summoned for driving his motor-cycle along Nathan Road between Bowling Street and Pitt Street on October 17 at 30 miles an hour.

Pleading guilty to the offence, Mr. Raven said he did not realise that this was a controlled area. The signs were not very clear and he was unaware that he was committing an offence.

Sergeant Pennell, who prosecuted, admitted that the area became a controlled one only a month ago. A fine of \$10 was imposed.

Mr. C. M. Gosano was cautioned for driving his motor-cycle without a front white light. He said he took the cycle out at about 9.25 p.m. on the night in question and five minutes later he had an accident which resulted in his light going out. He was taking the cycle to the repair shop when he was arrested.

HUE-AND-CRY FOR SNATCHER

CAUGHT AFTER LONG CHASE

Mrs. F. Haugland was the victim of a snatch thief in Queen's Road Central near Aberdeen Street yesterday at noon when she was robbed of her hand bag whilst she was at a watchmaker's.

The man was chased by a Chinese detective who arrived on the scene in response to shouts from Mrs. Haugland and arrested in Queen's Road, after he had run up Aberdeen Street, into Wellington Street and then back to Queen's Road.

On his appearance before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning his Worship sentenced the man to four months' hard labour and twelve strokes of the birch.

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By W. E. McKenney

At a bridge tournament you may often hear a pair remark, "Well, we were in the right spot on that hand."

Arriving at the correct declaration, and putting in a bid that will throw the opposition off the right track, is the favourite pastime of Mrs. Dorothy Rice Sims.

Mrs. Sims was one of three women to participate in the Individual Masters' event this year. While her reputation has been gained with psychic bidding, it by no means is the foundation of her game. She received top score on her bidding of the following hand.

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|--------------|--------|----------|
| ♠ 10-6-3-2 | NORTH | ♠ Q-8-5 |
| ♥ K-7-2 | 121 | ♥ Q-J-6 |
| ♦ K-8-6-5 | 121 | ♦ J-9-3 |
| ♣ A-Q-10-8-2 | 121 | ♣ 16-4-3 |
| | Dealer | 3 |
| | SOUTH | |
| ♠ A-K-J-7-4 | | |
| ♥ A-8-4-3 | | |
| ♦ 7-4 | | |
| ♣ 9-7 | | |

The Bidding.

Mrs. Sims held the North cards. South opened the bidding with one spade. West passed.

Many players would now overcall with two clubs, but what is the real advantage in North's hand? It is in having the hand led up to rather than through.

Mrs. Sims realized that with her holding there was not a probable game in clubs; therefore, rather than disclose this club holding, she bid two no trump. East passed, and South, who did not feel that his hand was suited for no trump, due to the doubleton club and the doubleton diamond, bid three spades, as his partner's overcall of two no trump did not necessarily deny spades.

Mrs. Sims again refused to disclose her trump holding and decided to try for game at no trump, and therefore bid three no trump, which became the final contract.

The Play.

East had the opening lead. Without a club bid by North, he has no reason for not wishing to open his fourth best club, so the three of clubs was led. It was now an easy matter for Mrs. Sims to make four no trump, which was the best score made on the board.

If she had bid her clubs and then later gone to no trump, East might have opened a diamond and then the best that North and South could do on the hand would be three no trump—and that would require two finesses.

PRINCESS ILL.

INFANTA BEATRIZ OPERATED
ON FOR APPENDICITIS

London, Oct. 27.

A report from Fontainebleau states that the Infanta Beatriz, the elder daughter of Ex-King Alfonso of Spain, has been operated on for appendicitis. She is progressing well.—Our Own Correspondent.

Rheumatic Complaints

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COUNCIL MEETING

FIRST READING OF BILL ON COMPANY LAW

At the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday afternoon, the Attorney General moved the second reading of "A Bill to secure an increased trade between the Colony and other parts of the British Empire," said:

This Bill and the Resolution relating to a preference on Empire brandy which was passed last week represent the contribution the Colony has been asked to make to the success of the Ottawa Conference. It is understood that the various Dominion Governments concluded at that Conference contain clauses excluding from preferences Colonies which (not being precluded by International Conventions) either accord no preferences, or accord to some other part of the Empire preferences not accorded to the contracting Dominion.

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and the Bill passed through its final stages.

Other Bills which passed their final stages were "A Bill to amend the Supreme Court (Admiralty Procedure) Ordinance, 1896" and "A Bill to amend Marriage Ordinance, 1875".

Company Law.

Moving the first reading of "A Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Companies," the Attorney General said:

Sir,—I rise to move the first reading of a Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Companies which has been prepared with a view to bringing the Company law of the Colony into line with that prevailing in England.

This is in accordance with precedent. There have been three great consolidations of the Company law in England in 1862, 1908 and 1929. The Acts of 1862 and 1908 were followed in 1865 and 1911 by Hong Kong Ordinances which corresponded generally with their provisions. As acting Attorney General nearly twenty-one years ago it fell to me to move the Third Reading of the latter Ordinance. The Act of 1929 repealed the Act of 1908 and the Acts amending it particularly the Act of 1923, and re-enacted their net result though not exactly in the same language or according to the same arrangement. The object of the Act of 1929 as stated in Lord Halsbury's edition of Halsbury was to present the whole body of the subject in a complete form. This Bill has a similar object. It follows the Act very closely; but, as stated in the Memorandum of Objects and Reasons on page 187 it has been necessary to incorporate special local provisions taken from the existing Ordinances.

The introduction of this Ordinance will necessitate considerable study by auditors and company secretaries and directors. But, speaking generally, any one of such persons who is provided with a text book on the Act of 1929 should have little difficulty in ascertaining his duties under this Ordinance which, under section 357 on page 140 of the print, will not come into force until the 1st July next year. I now move the first reading.

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and the motion was carried.

MANCHURIA REVENUE.

NO MONEY BEING SENT TO SHANGHAI

Nanking, Oct. 27.

Mr. T. V. Soong, on being shown a statement made by Sir John Simon in the House of Commons that the Manchukuo Government had remitted certain sums to Shanghai for the Foreign Loan service, stated categorically that none of the revenue collected in Manchukuo since the seizure of the Customs had been remitted to the Inspector General of Customs, directly or indirectly.—Reuter's Special.

DIVORCE LAW DEFENDED

ATTORNEY GENERAL REPLIES TO MR. BRAGA

The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga found no support in his opposition to the Divorce Bill at the Legislature Council yesterday.

Hon. Mr. Braga: I don't think a very great deal of the Bill myself, to be quite candid, but from different motives from those my honourable friend has just revealed. I feel, as one of the newspapers in an editorial has stated, the Bill merely perpetuates all the abuses of the Divorce system in England. I think it does not go nearly far enough, but under the circumstances it is probably all we are going to get and therefore I am quite prepared to accept it.

I have listened very patiently and with a great deal of interest to what my honourable friend has said, and I have been unable to understand the meaning of it. His arguments illustrate the enormous difference there is between the Churches and the ordinary lay thought of to-day. It is perhaps unfortunate, but I cannot for the life of me see how anyone making an unfortunate contract cannot get out of it.

Government Replies.

The Attorney General:—Sir.—The first honourable member to address the Council has done so at considerable length, without really dealing with any of the four points mentioned in my speech on the first reading and which I will now enumerate, restate and slightly elaborate.

Firstly a Bill to deal with divorce has been suggested to us by two successive Secretaries of State who must be presumed to be aware that, until implemented by an Order in Council under the Indian and Colonial Divorce Jurisdiction Act, 1926, it will affect very few persons.

Secondly an Alsatia in Hong Kong for persons domiciled here has become an anomaly, owing to the development by Civil Jurisdiction throughout the world of means of giving relief from Christian marriage, regarded as a civil contract. It is only with marriage so regarded that the Bill deals. The honourable member has pointed out that the definition of Christian marriage or its civil equivalent recognises the status as that of a voluntary union for life of one man and one woman to the exclusion of all others. Whilst stressing the words "for life" the honourable member has missed the point that the definition cannot be split into its component parts, but must be taken as a whole and that the introduction of "others" into the exclusive union of two destroys the fundamental civil conception of that union. With the religious conception of indissolubility of the union we are not concerned.

Straits Law Followed.

Thirdly.—In its essentials the Bill follows a Straits Settlements precedent which is open to every one of the objections, if objections they be, which have been stressed by the honourable member. Yet the Straits Bill, which went further and required, what this Bill does not require, that petitioners should profess the Christian religion, has been approved and implemented by Order in Council under the Act of 1926. Lastly.—This will not come into force until His Majesty's pleasure is known.

With regard to the remarks of the honourable member who seconded addressed the Council, I think that is all we are likely to get and that any attempt on behalf of this Council to move in advance of the legislative thought in England will not result in the Ordinances being allowed. I move the second reading.

Mr. Braga: May I be allowed to say a few words in reply?

The Chairman: No.
The Bill was then read a second time, taken through committee without amendment, was read a third time, and passed.

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HAVING BLOWN HIS JOB AS A COP, SAM DECIDES TO BREEZE BACK INTO THE SALESMAN GAME

WILL THE GENTLEMAN WHO WAS HERE FIRST, STEP IN?

YES-S-S, SIR-R-R!

AW, WAIT YER TURN!

IT'S MY TURN, RIGHT NOW!

WERE YOU REALLY THE FIRST GENTLEMAN HERE?

SURE! THIS GUY WAS AHEAD OF ME, BUT HE'S NO GENTLEMAN, OR HE WOULDN'TA STARTED THIS RIGHT!

CALL of the WEST

by R. G. MONTGOMERY

LEAVES HERE TO-DAY

Stan Ball, an agent for cattle interests, faces Asper, who in the office in the city. Asper is accused by the cattle men of interfering on their range with his timber cutting. Ball accuses him of crooked work at his Three Rivers camp. He accuses him of having men shoot who try to check up on him. Ball says he is going up to make a check himself. He says that he will personally see that Ball does not.

Standing before the office building Stan Ball saw Asper slip a girl into a car. He catches the car and saves Dona Delo, Asper's daughter. When he learns who she is he slips away after telling her he is Stanley Ball.

Dudley Winters, in love with Dona, agrees to see Asper back off his wild trip to Three Rivers if she will marry him. She gives him some encouragement.

Dona goes with Dudley. They stop at Beth Doby's place. Doby refuses to help Dona but says Asper has been there and that he was fairly for a killing.

Dudley puts a plan to Dona. She is to marry him at Doby's place. Asper can hardly go on with a manhunt under those circumstances. He agrees. Dona agrees. Dudley has a license, obtained the night before. While he is seeking a man who can marry them Stan Ball, who is on the way to Three Rivers, steps out of the night and kisses Dona.

Dona says she cannot go through with the marriage and puts Dudley off. They go on to Three Rivers.

They meet Asper. Asper's timber boss, he says he intends to shoot Ball himself, that Ball has shot a ranger.

CHAPTER VII.

Dona spent a restless first night at Three Rivers. She sat up waiting for her father until midnight but he did not return. Old Asper was back in his element again. He had reverted to the fighting lumberjack who had once been the fear and dread of the high country. Stan Ball's taunting words had worked the change. He was staking a man hunt, and roughing it was a mere incidental. With sleeping bag and rifle he spent the night in the woods. Dona guessed as much and retired at midnight.

In the morning Dudley was up early and had made a round of the timber camp before Dona came from her room. She found him in Swerghin's office, which Asper had made his during his stay in camp. Dudley was sitting on her father's desk, drumming his heels against the oak boards when she entered. She crossed swiftly to Asper's side.

"Dad!" she began reproachfully. Asper doffed his wide black hat and there was a guilty look on his face as he raised his cheek for her welcome kiss. She looked tired but there was a tight line of determination at the corners of her red lips.

"Now D., he began gruffly. "You make up your mind to pack and head back home right after breakfast. This is bad business."

Dona smiled in spite of her determined manner. "You'd think I was a butterfly instead of a girl brought up in the woods and on the range. You forget, Dad, that your sweet little girl was once 'Pig Tail' Delo who rode any horse on the place."

"I know, but you're a young woman now, refined with schooling." Asper tried to say the thing he was thinking—that Dona was a beautiful girl who had burst into womanhood with the coming of her nineteenth summer and that she was no longer safe in such surroundings, especially with one man and behave yourself. No horse-

he hated hiding on the slopes of Folly Mountain, less than a six-hour ride from camp.

"You think your bad man might steal me?" Dona pulled his chin up and settled herself on her father's knee.

"If he could get his hands on you he would have me licked that's sure," Asper growled.

"Well, if you stay, I stay. That is settled," Dona looked unsimilingly into his eyes.

"Think I'm getting too old to have it out with a young skunk like Ball?" Asper lips clamped tight over his cigar and his words rumbled between his lips. "You and Dudley are starting back at once."

Dona slid to the floor and faced her father. "I am staying here and I have a promise of a saddle carbine. I intend to join this hunt and do a little capturing myself."

Asper got to his feet and towered over her. There was fire in his eyes. "I ought to take a mill slab and spank you good. You're going home!" This time his mouth was open and his words fairly shook the light walls of the office.

"No use roaring, Dad. I'm staying," Dona's little chin was up and her eyes were dark.

Dudley stepped forward with a grin. "We're all three starting back in an hour." He slicked back his smooth hair as he spoke.

Asper Delo swung around heavily and his dead cigar tilted ceilingward. "Young man, you are going back. That is sure. If one of the horses did not kill you some one might shoot you by mistake." The old lumberman's eyes travelled over Dudley Winters' western outfit, purchased that morning at the company store.

Dudley flushed but held his ground. "Mr. Delo, I came up here to see that you gave up this wild venture and returned with your daughter. Why in the devil does a big business man like you want to go out hunting for a mere cowboy?"

Before his mouth had closed Dudley knew he had said the wrong thing. Asper's great jaw thrust out and his cheek muscles knotted. "Get out of here! Get out of camp!" he fairly roared.

Dudley went but he halted at the door. "I am leaving your office but I'm not leaving camp." He shot the words out sharply. "I'm staying to take care of Dona."

"My daughter will be home tonight," Asper grunted. The words flung themselves against a closed door. Dudley was outside.

"Now I'll have to detail a man to trail that young pup," Asper grunted. He towered over Dona. "Young woman, are you going to obey me?" There was a glint of pride in his eyes.

"You are staying, so I'll stay too. You happen to be all the family I have," Dona replied simply.

Asper sat down. "Stay in camp roundings, especially with one man and behave yourself. No horse-

back riding and no wandering off. I don't suppose that kid who can't keep away from you would be worth his salt at watching you. He'd do as you said."

"Sure! I wouldn't have him around if he didn't," Dona smiled. "And now that everything is settled I'm going to have breakfast."

"You haven't promised to stay in camp," Asper reminded her.

Dona was at the door. "No, and I shan't." She slipped out, waving him a kiss as she went.

"Her old man over again," Asper muttered to his desk. But he was worried and determined to have a dependable man watch Dona and ride with her every place she went.

Dona found the Chinese cook in the mess kitchen eager to serve his white mistress. She saw nothing of Dudley and concluded that he was off negotiating for a horse and gun. As she walked out of the dining room she noticed a postcard tacked on the door and stopped to read it. In large black letters the following legend thrust itself out at her:

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The notice was signed, "Ginter Swerghin, Deputy Sheriff." There was no picture of the desperado and no description. Dona lingered for several minutes before it. Some strange fascination held her. Finally she turned and swung down the street toward the corral.

She found the man who had charge of the saddle horses and told him who she was. He was impressed but had evidently received orders from Asper regarding her riding. He pointed to a meek-looking animal.

"That's your horse, Ma'am," he said politely as he shook out his lariat.

Dona laughed until her rich alto woke the sleepy horse. "Drop a-



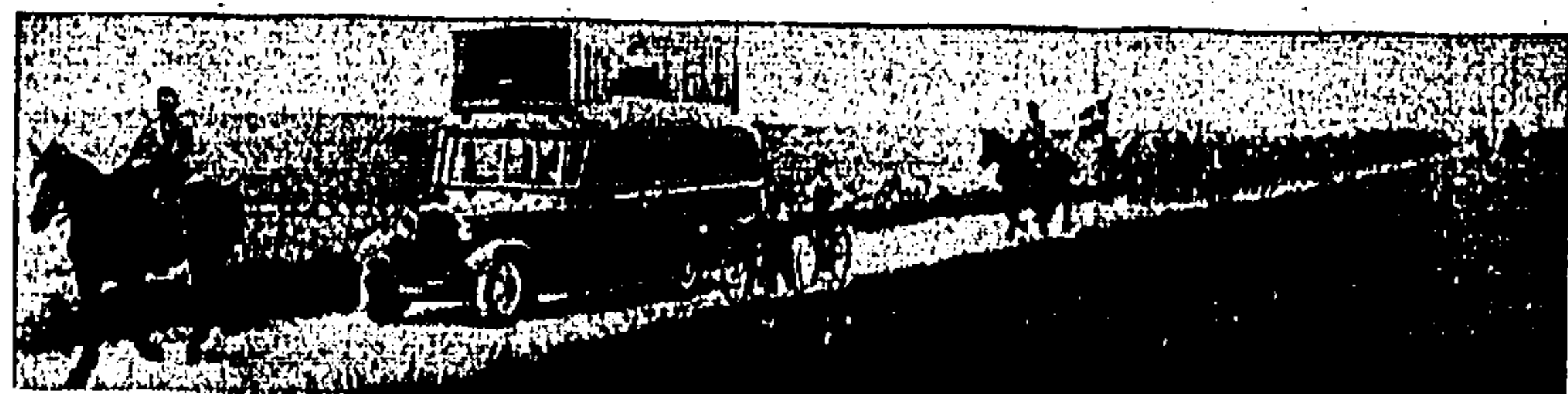
In refusing to receive callers of any nationality, the Pope (shown in his most recent photo) is credited with another snub of Mussolini. The action is said to be based on the Pope's desire to avoid granting an audience to the famed Bersaglieri Corps.



People studying windows wrecked in the Liverpool riots recently in a night of hooliganism and street fighting.



Just about as ugly a mug as you'd care to meet: down a dark alley, but a beauty in the eyes of the judges. "The Crovanspring" captured the best of breed (English bull) award for the 13th time at the Tuxedo Kennel Club Dog Show.



A remarkable innovation in Denmark, where in place of the usual military bands, the Army authorities are providing music. This is a development in mechanization which was least expected. A motor-grasshopper is shown heading a battalion on the march.

MOONLIGHT, a picturesque mountain camp, a pretty girl and a dashing cowboy. With such romantic elements of course there's a love story in "Call of the West" by R. G. Montgomery. There's adventure and excitement too in this thrilling new serial.

rope on that roan," she ordered, pointing a dainty, gloved finger toward a long-legged saddler that was eyeing them with fiery disdain.

The cowboy shook his head. "That critter has already thrown the gentleman who came with you twice this morning. He fancied that brute, too!" There was a trace of a grin on the corral boss's face.

Dona swung one leg up on the top pole of the corral. Her riding breeches displayed her slim form and her slenderness made the cowboy step forward hurriedly.

"No woman could ride that fellow, Ma'am," he protested.

Dona smiled down at him. "Your rope please." When he did not hand it to her she bent low and caught it out of his astonished hands. Before he could stop her she was whirling it and advancing

upon the roan.

The big fellow was ropewise and ducked for a far corner. Dona advanced and her loop shot out. The roan snorted and tossed his head but the rope landed neatly and he was caught fast. He lunged and plunged but the rope tightened firmly and he decided that he was in the hands of an experienced rider. Planting his feet wide he settled back against the rope and waited for the saddle he knew was coming.

"Bring a saddle!" Dona called.

The astonished cowboy leaped over the fence and dragged a heavy stock saddle from the fence. With a flip he swung it to his shoulder. "Better let me take some of the starch out of him," he called.

Dona knew that this was wise advice but she had made a perfect

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Collapse of the People's Party Government, headed by F. T. Hamrin, has made Per Albin Hansson, leader of the Social Democratic Party, Sweden's new premier. He is shown at his desk with his daughter who acts as his secretary.



Germany was on the eve of a return to political turmoil when this picture was taken, showing the new "Iron Chancellor" von Papen, waving his hat to cheering throngs as he arrived at Tempelhof Aerodrome, Berlin, to review a gigantic demonstration by 100,000 members of the German "Steel Helmet" organization. Chancellor von Papen later stirred the country by issuing a decree dissolving the Reichstag.



The terrible nature of the smash in Algeria recently when a Foreign Legion train was derailed and crashed into a ravine is vividly shown above. Over a 120 were killed in the disaster.

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It is requested that all Civil Associations and Individuals, who wish to place wreaths on the Cenotaph at the conclusion of the Service on Armistice Day, will kindly inform the undersigned, in writing, before November 6th, so that accommodation may be arranged within the Police barrier.

E. D. C. WOLFE,
Inspector General of Police.
Hongkong, 27th October, 1932.

NOTICE.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1932, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Wei, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

| No. of Lots | Register No. | Locality | Boundary Measurements | Contents in Square Feet | Approx. Area in Acres | Upset Price |
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WANCHAI ROBBERY.

THIEVES DECAMP WHEN ALARM IS RAISED

A gold finger ring and four Hongkong dollars was the only loot from what was obviously a well planned robbery, committed at Wanchai early yesterday afternoon.

A man who gave the name of Chan went to a building in Lockhart Road, and depositing \$1 asked that a cubicle be engaged for him.

Later in the day the landlady Hau Yung-tak, saw Chan talking to a carpenter in the hall. With her was another inmate, Li Wun. Suddenly Chan seized her by the throat, while the carpenter threatened her with a paint scraper. They dragged a gold ring from her finger and took \$4 belonging to Li Wun.

While the robbers were engaged with Hau Yung-tak, Li Wun rushed downstairs and raised the alarm. When she returned with help, however, Hau Yung was lying on the ground, gagged and bound, but the robbers were not in sight.

The police are investigating.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

London Terminals.
March 1933 6 1/4 down 3/4 d.
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December 1932 1.00 up 1 pt.
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The fine has been suspended temporarily in view of recent efforts of certain inhabitants to assist the Government.—Our Own Correspondent.

KOWLOON CONTINUE TO EXPERIMENT

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BORDERERS OR S. CHINA?

Can the Borderers beat South China on Sunday? Well there are points in their favour. For one thing the Chinese team has been out of soccer for a fortnight, and another is that the Borderers are playing first rate football. They are not as pretty as South China, but they can be equally as effective, as the Club found out to their cost a fortnight ago. Frankly I feel the Borderers' defence is not strong enough to hold the dashing and deadly Chinese vanners, but on the other hand the soldiers have a forward line which can score and score fast. The best balanced team will win, and it will probably be the Chinese.

Y.M.C.A. WIN.

Keppel Defeated in Close Water Polo Game.

Fielding a scratch team, the Y.M.C.A. yesterday beat H.M.S. Keppel at water-polo three goals to one in the Y.M.C.A. bath. It was an even contest with H.M.S. and Campbell standing out for the civilian team. King was prominent in defence for the Keppel.

Griffith opened the scoring for the Keppel but Campbell equalised before the change over. In the second half Aris put a neat back-skip in and Campbell added another.

The teams were:

Keppel—Mitchell; Sewell, King; Hutton, Hutchison, Griffith, Ambler. Y.M.C.A.—Nicholls; Lange, Jenner; Ealton; Aris, Campbell, Broken-shire.

INDIAN TERRORISTS.

CHITTAGONG INHABITANTS GIVE THEM SHELTER

London, Oct. 27.

It is reported from Calcutta that a collective fine of \$6,000 has been inflicted on the inhabitants of Chittagong and seven neighbouring villages on the charge of sheltering terrorists.

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YESTERDAY'S HOCKEY

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In the centre of the attack is Seaman Hawgood, who on this, his first appearance in the Colony showed himself a player capable of good work in front or goal and by no means slow to seize opportunities when they arise. The two inside men, A. B. Robertson and Tel. Lewis are also very clever with the stick.

The officers were without their usual inside forwards but the substitutes, Lieut. White, Lieut. Slade and Lieut. Bartlett did some really useful work. Had the strongest team been fielded there is no doubt the Mamak team would have gone under by a much larger margin.

Sub. Lieut. Donald and Slade scored for the Officers while A. B. Hodges replied for the ratings.

The line up was as follows:

Officers.—Lieutenant Com. Higham; Com. Colpoys and Lieut. Com. Majendie; Lieut. Gaisford, Lieut. Haselfoot and Lieut. Lloyd; Sub. Lieut. Donald, Lieut. White, Lieut. Slade, Lieut. Bartlett and Lieut. Rimgingham.

Mamak Team.—Ldg. Sig. Evans; Tel. Steers and Ldg. Sea. Rhodes; E. R. A. Wisdom, E. R. A. Dunn and A. B. Hodges; C. P. O. Newworthy, A. B. Robertson, Ldg. Sea. Hawgood, Tel. Lewis and A. E. Allen.

MAMAK GAMES.

One of the best matches of the season was the result of the meeting in the Mamak tournament at King's Park yesterday between the 24th Battery R.A. and H.M.S. Tamar. The Battery won by three goals to two.

The exchanges throughout were even and the standard of play was higher than that witnessed in many of the games to-date. The reason for this was the excellent combination and the evenness in prowess of the opposing factions.

The Naval side was well served by the centre half, Downs, who broke up attack after attack levelled at their goal. Unfortunately he was forced to injury to the foot and was forced to leave the field for a while.

The Tamar were the first to open the scoring, Stone finding the net in the first half, and before the interval Collier replied for the Battery. In the second half Salt gave the Army scores level again. Shortly before the end Smith netted the winning goal for the Artillery.

The match between the R.A.S.C. and the 1st H.K.S. Battery, which was postponed from October 13th was played off yesterday and resulted in a win for the Indians by four goals to nil.

The Battery had the services of Lieut. J. K. Macfarlane, the Army centre forward who signalled his first appearance in the Mamak tournament by netting two goals in the first half. It was in this half that the Battery scored their two other goals.

There was no scoring in the second half.

FRIENDLY.

Playing at Caroline Hill yesterday afternoon the Radio Sports club defeated the Wishart by 7 goals to 2 in an interesting game. The Radio were without the services of M. Singh, P. Singh and H. Singh, and the Wishart were also without the services of Cmdr. Bannister, their centre-forward.

The Radio forwards were fit as usual especially the three inside men but the defence was a bit weak owing to two of their players who failed to turn up. Joginder Singh and Hanil were outstanding in the Radio's defence. For the Radio, Kailwant Singh scored two goals, Avtar Singh two, G. Singh from Singh and Singh one each. For the Wishart the centre-forward netted both.

To-morrow the Radio Sports Club will meet the H.M.S. Phoenix in the Mamak Tournament. Match will be played at Caroline Hill at 4.30 p.m.

REFEREE'S ACTION

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these players to the Colony the Navy should make a successful bid to take the Sim Shield from the Club, the present holders.

THE team to represent the Medway in the Mamak competition also enjoys a reputation that cannot be discounted and they are no doubt the strongest of the naval units in the league. Eighteen players have been signed on as eligible to play, all past masters in the art of hockey, and the selection of the strongest team will require not a little thought.

SO excellent are the revisions made in the rules of hockey by the International Hockey Board that they do not call for comment. Many the issues which, in the past, have caused such confusion are now made clear and they have been readily accepted by the Mamak tournament committee and other clubs in the Colony. The rule which is likely to cause the greatest trouble is that which states that in stopping the ball neither foot nor leg may be used in support of the stick. This practice has been used freely in the past and in the games which have been played since the publication of the rules has been responsible for the frequent blowing of the whistle. Another revision which is likely to cause concern for a while is that in regard to the bully. It being now decreed that only the flat face of the stick can be used for playing the ball or making contact with the opponent's stick at a bully. Before this alteration the hooked stick was invariably used.

POST OFFICE NOTICE

Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain.

Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at the times given and despatched by the following steamers:

| Steamer | Date of Closing | Date Due at London |
|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Rajputana | 5 p.m., 4th November | 9th December |
| Bangalore | 5 p.m., 11th November | 18th December |
| Corfu | 5 p.m., 18th November | 23rd December |

The Afternoon Service to Macao is suspended until further notice.

Letters can now be forwarded to Europe via Siberia.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded via Siberia if so super-scribed.

Letters will be accepted for transmission by the above-mentioned Mail Service to the destination as specified. Registered letters may be sent by this service but not insured letters.

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| India (Calcutta) | 0.25 |
| Persia (Djask) | 0.25 |
| Persia (Bushite) | 0.25 |
| Iran (Baghdad) | 0.25 |
| Palestine (Beirut) | 0.25 |
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| Italy (Naples) | 0.25 |
| France (Marseilles) | 0.25 |
| Great Britain & Irish Free State (London) | 0.25 |
| Europe, other countries (Marseilles for onward transmission by rail) | 0.25 |

The air mail for each country will be landed at the place named in brackets.

THE AIRMAIL SERVICE from SAIGON to EUROPE is weekly. The HONGKONG-SAIGON connection will be maintained by the regular fortnightly sailing of the FRENCH mail steamers and on alternate weeks by any available steamers that can make the connection at SAIGON. Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air Service" and handed in at the G.P.O. or Kowloon Post Office.

INWARD MAILS.

| From | Per | Due |
|--|-------------------|-------------|
| Japan | Tokio Maru | October 28. |
| Japan | Calcutta Maru | October 28. |
| Japan | Kamo Maru | October 28. |
| U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 30th Sept.) | President Adams | October 29. |
| Shanghai and Swatow | Sunning | October 29. |
| Straits | Comte Verde | October 30. |
| Japan | Nellore | October 30. |
| U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan, and Shanghai (San Francisco, 7th October) | President Jackson | October 31. |
| Manila | Emp. of Asia | November 2. |
| Calcutta and Straits | Takada | November 2. |
| Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 6th October and | Comorin | November 3. |
| Parcels, 20th September | Yunsgang | November 3. |
| Calcutta and Straits | Rajputana | November 4. |
| Japan and Shanghai, U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 15th October) | Pres. Madison | November 4. |
| Australia and Manila | Tanda | November 5. |
| Japan | Melbourne Maru | November 5. |
| Japan | Africa Mgru | November 6. |

OUTWARD MAILS.

| For | Date and Time |
|--|--|
| Samshui and Wuchow | Kongso Fri., Oct. 28, 4 p.m. |
| Fort Bayard | Sunkong Fri., Oct. 28, 5 p.m. |
| Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U. S. A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B. C., and Europe via Siberia | President Jefferson Fri., Oct. 28. |
| | Parcels, Oct. 28, 3 p.m. |
| | Reg., Oct. 28, 4.15 p.m. |
| | Letters, Oct. 28, 5 p.m. |
| | (Due Victoria B. C., 15th November) |

Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service."

| Strait, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | Date and Time |
|--|---|
| Hakozaki Maru | Fri., Oct. 28. |
| Reg., | Oct. 28, 4.30 p.m. |
| Letters, | Oct. 28, 4.30 p.m. |
| G. P. O. | Oct. 28, 5 p.m. |
| Reg., | Oct. 28, 5 p.m. |
| Letters, | Oct. 28, 5 p.m. |
| (Due Marseilles, 20th November) | |
| Hohow and Bangkok | Kwelyang Sat., Oct. 29, 10.30 a.m. |
| Shanghai | Deucalion Sat., Oct. 29, 10.30 a.m. |
| Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island | Kamo Maru Sat., Oct. 29. |
| | Registration 10.45 a.m. |
| | Letters 11.30 a.m. |
| | (Due Thursday Island, 10th Nov.) |
| Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service." | Helikon Sat., Oct. 29, 1 p.m. |
| | Reg., Oct. 29, 1 p.m. |
| | Letters, Oct. 29, 1 p.m. |
| G. P. O. | Oct. 29, 1.30 p.m. |
| Reg., | Oct. 29, 1.30 p.m. |
| Letters, | Oct. 29, 1.30 p.m. |
| Saigon | Helikon Sat., Oct. 29, 3.30 p.m. |
| Amoy | Anhui Sat., Oct. 29, 5 p.m. |
| Manila | Pres. Adams Sat., Oct. 29, 5 p.m. |
| Poochow | Hulchow Sun., Oct. 30, 8.30 a.m. |
| Swatow, Amoy and Formosa | Hozan Maru Sun., Oct. 30, 9 a.m. |
| Bangkok via Swatow | Hellos Sun., Oct. 30, 9 a.m. |
| Shanghai | Comte Verde Sun., Oct. 31, 5 a.m. |
| Hydrangra | Mon., Oct. 31, 9 a.m. |
| Tjinegra | Tues., Nov. 1, 9.30 a.m. |
| Swatow, Amoy and Poochow | I-i Ning Tues., Nov. 1, 2 p.m. |
| Manila | Pres. Jackson Tues., Nov. 1, 4.30 p.m. |
| Swatow | Norviken Tues., Nov. 1, 6 p.m. |
| Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane | Nellore Wed., Nov. 2. |
| | Parcels 1st 5 p.m. |
| | Registration 8.45 a.m. |
| | Letters 9.30 a.m. |
| | (Due Brisbane 21st November) |

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America and Europe via San Francisco

| Asama Maru | Date and Time |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Parcels | 1st Nov., 5 p.m. |
| Letters | 2nd Nov., 8.30 a.m. |
| (Due San Francisco, 23rd November) | |
| Sandakan | Mausang Wed., Nov. 2, 8.30 a.m. |
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CINEMA "SHOTS" AND "SEQUENCES"

THE PECULIAR BLUNDERS OF HOLLYWOOD

BRILLIANT FILMS ALMOST RUINED BY SHEER CARELESSNESS

NOTES AND COMMENTS BY "CELLULOID"

IT is peculiar and a little mystifying to continually find Hollywood, who enjoys the reputation of turning out the most efficient films in the world, from the technical and directorial viewpoint, falling down on details. And it is because of the general excellence of the pictures that these blunders in small matters are amplified and left in one's memory as disastrous reminders of the careless marring of a fine piece of work.

SUCH an example occurs in *Arsene Lupin*, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's screen presentation of the famous novel. The whole story is laid in France, but this is not at all foreign to Hollywood. Yet there is an atmosphere of America, with its diametrically opposite idiosyncracies, stamped indelibly upon the film. Why was it necessary in the opening scenes depicting the discovering of a robbery, to employ a "super" with a heavy nasal twang, to take the part of a Paris police officer, who first asks for the "an-address" and then adopts a ridiculous continental accent? Why does Hollywood persist in trying to convince the world that because in U.S. a police patrol must kick up a devil's delight whilst racing through the streets of the police of other nations do the same things? These blunders, coming as they did in the initial sequences, were almost enough to destroy the entertaining value of the film, and in any case they could not be forgotten, and were left forcibly to remind one that the picture was made at Beverly Hills.

IF these careless faults had not been committed, *Arsene Lupin* would be worthy to rank as one of the best works of the United States studios. Aided by a brilliantly conceived story, and backed by a remarkably fine cast, the producers had all the material for a film of outstanding entertainment, and in many respects the material is extremely well used. Without any technical embellishments, Lionel Morley provides a performance which is both stimulating and entertaining. Given capable photography and efficient editing, the picture is doubly enhanced.

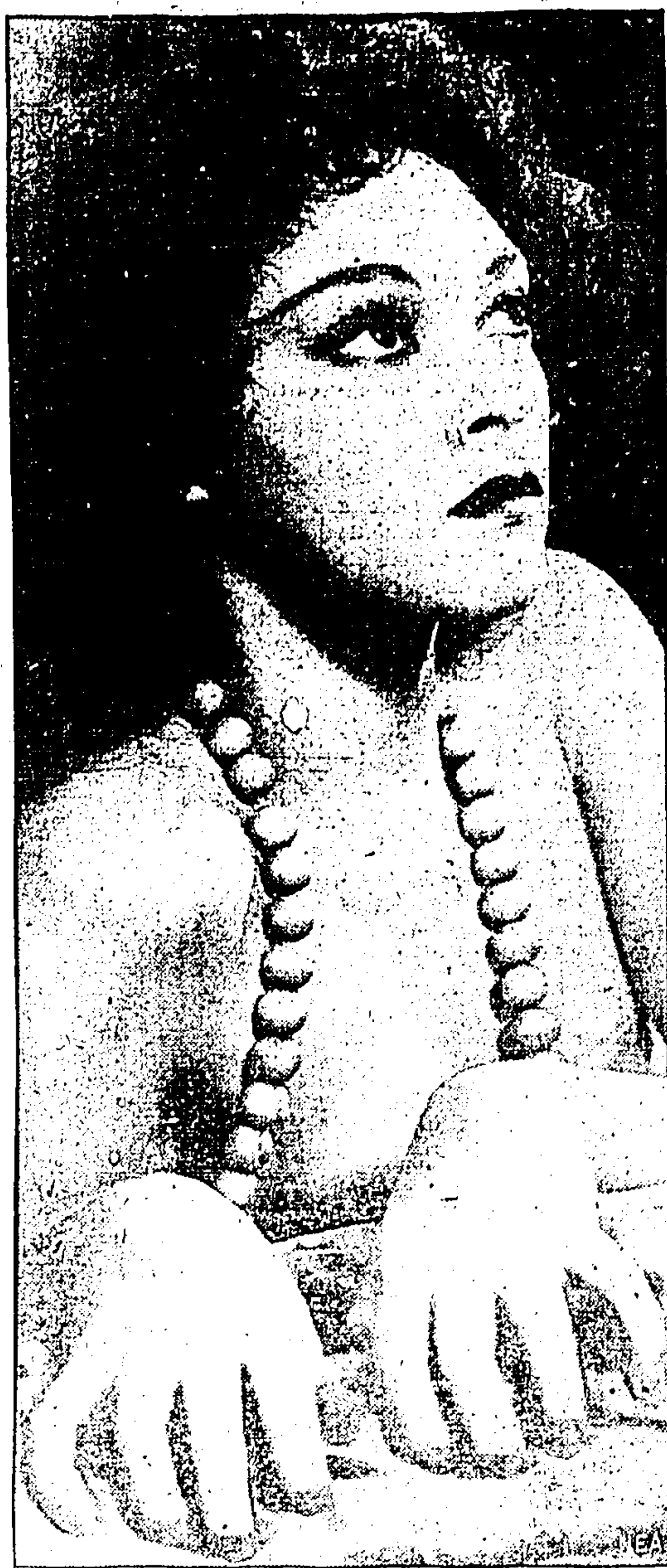
JUDGED on this film, I have not the slightest doubt as to which of the two Barrymores is the greater actor. Whereas John Barrymore offers a neat and amusing study as the villain with a keen appreciation of feminine charm, a ready wit and a criminal's sense of honour and decency, Lionel makes rather more impressive his characterisation by the infusion into it of his remarkable personality. He is more demonstrative, and might even be accused of a little "hairiness" if such a word could be used, but it fits him so perfectly as to lead one to conclude that this is a reasonable and natural interpretation. Karen Morley is extremely well cast as the ex-convict used by the police to decoy Lupin, and who eventually genuinely falls in love with

the criminal. She and John Barrymore have an amusing, but somewhat risqué scene when she makes her first appearance in the picture, but it is an excellent introduction to better things to come, and the confident manner in which she handles her part stamps Miss Morley as a very talented young actress. Apart from one or two errors, the technicalities of the film are satisfying, and on the whole *Arsene Lupin* was first class entertainment.

SOMEHOW or other the British studios, even under the guidance of that brilliant producing concern, Paramount, have not yet captured America's skill in exploiting to the full the galaxy of British "star" stage players, who are rapidly gravitating to the silver screen. Either there are technical shortcomings, poor themes or badly presented stories to mar the good work of the players. Aren't we all, which boasted among its cast Gertrude Lawrence, Hugh Wakefield, Owen Nares, by reason of its disjointed story and the exaggerated amplification of extraneous detail, left me with a feeling of incompleteness. So far as they were able, Miss Lawrence, Hugh Wakefield and Owen Nares gave splendid performances, but they were afforded few opportunities of being seen at their best. Incidentally, Gertrude Lawrence, although until recently a leading musical comedy and musical romance star, is, before the camera, quite an emotional actress, and I believe she is now adopting a "straight" role in a stage play with Gerald du Maurier. The most impressive feature of Miss Lawrence's performance was her delightful singing. She enjoys a style of her own and can put more feeling and reality into the tosy love-songs of the present day than any other screen actress I have yet heard.

HUGH Wakefield struggled valiantly in an attempt to infuse some sort of sincerity and hearty humour into the picture, but I felt that the effort cost him something. He appeared rather forced trying to make up for the deficiencies of Lonsdale, whose brilliant wit and satire were not up to customary standard. I am sure Owen Nares was not in the least bit happy with his part, and he plaintively wailed his way through to an end of love and kisses. His performance did not compare at all favourably with that in *Sunshine Susie*.

AMERICAN Laurel to the Gardner is a leathery-leaved shrub, clustered with pink or white flowers. But to Ruth Chatterton, in *To-morrow and To-morrow* it is an exquisite symbol. "I saw a bank of laurel in bloom," she says, "and the whole air seemed filled with the scent of romance." And through the whole of this picture, which is now showing at the King's, flowering laurel spreads its branches about her life. The part of dissatisfied wife can be a trivial one. But Ruth Chatterton makes you see beyond the discontent to the spiritual unhappiness of Mrs. Gail Redman. "I must have something to look after," she cries. Her husband, Robert Ames, can look after himself. He protests against Ruth's rueful description of him as having three great loves: "Horses, corn soup—and me." But he dozes



Chosen over 60,000 other contestants, Kathleen Burke, a 19-year old Chicagoan with no acting experience, has won movie-dom's coveted role of "panther woman." Here she is 125 pounds of clawing tiger girl.

on the sofa when she mentions her longing for a child.

INTO this house, which has a puzzling air of gloom, in spite of its sunshine, comes Dr. Nicholas Faber—Paul Lukas. He is the third of the polished actors who subtly develop the unusual story, adapted from the play by Philip Barry. Ruth innocently welcomes the congenial companionship of this guest, who is with them while giving a series of lectures. The puzzling psychology of his charming hostess is understood by the physician, before the man has realised their love. The laurel that Lukas arranges in her hands, whether Ruth Chatterton is right in her solution must be judged by each woman for herself. But all who see this picture, directed and acted with beauty, will appreciate the skill which makes only a celluloid tale become real life.

TED Alexander, an adorable child with an incredibly pleasing voice, plays young Christian Redman. He makes poignantly natural the bewilderment of a boy being forced into an unwelcome outdoor life. His terror of horses is misunderstood by Gail, who contemptuously dubs the boy yellow.

Lukas back into the life of Ruth. It is the child's illness which compels her to tell Lukas the truth over the bed of her son, and his. But the leaves of laurel are now bent to the winds of winter, and it is the reality of three people's lives which Ruth holds in her hands. Whether Ruth Chatterton is right in her solution must be judged by each woman for herself. But all who see this picture, directed and acted with beauty, will appreciate the skill which makes only a celluloid tale become real life.

SCARCELY a week passes without some prominent man attacking the cinema. Hardly a sermon is given without its "evils" and "temptations" being denounced, and few intellectual people can resist pointing the finger of scorn at the film. On

WHAT THERE IS TO SEE

Queen's "Is Everybody Happy?"—Just depends whether you have an ear for a "hot clarinet" and an appreciation of "tragic jazz." Still Ted Lewis does his best.

King's "To-morrow and To-morrow"—Emotional Ruth Chatterton with glycerine tears and a misguided idea of love.

Majestic "Devil's Lottery"—Oriental "Wayward"—Garden "The Spy"—Star "West of Broadway"—Talping "The Man I Killed"

COMING ON SUNDAY

Queen's "Brother Alfred"—King's "One Heavenly Night"—Majestic "Disorderly Conduct"—Oriental "Sky Bride"—Talping "The Vagabond King"

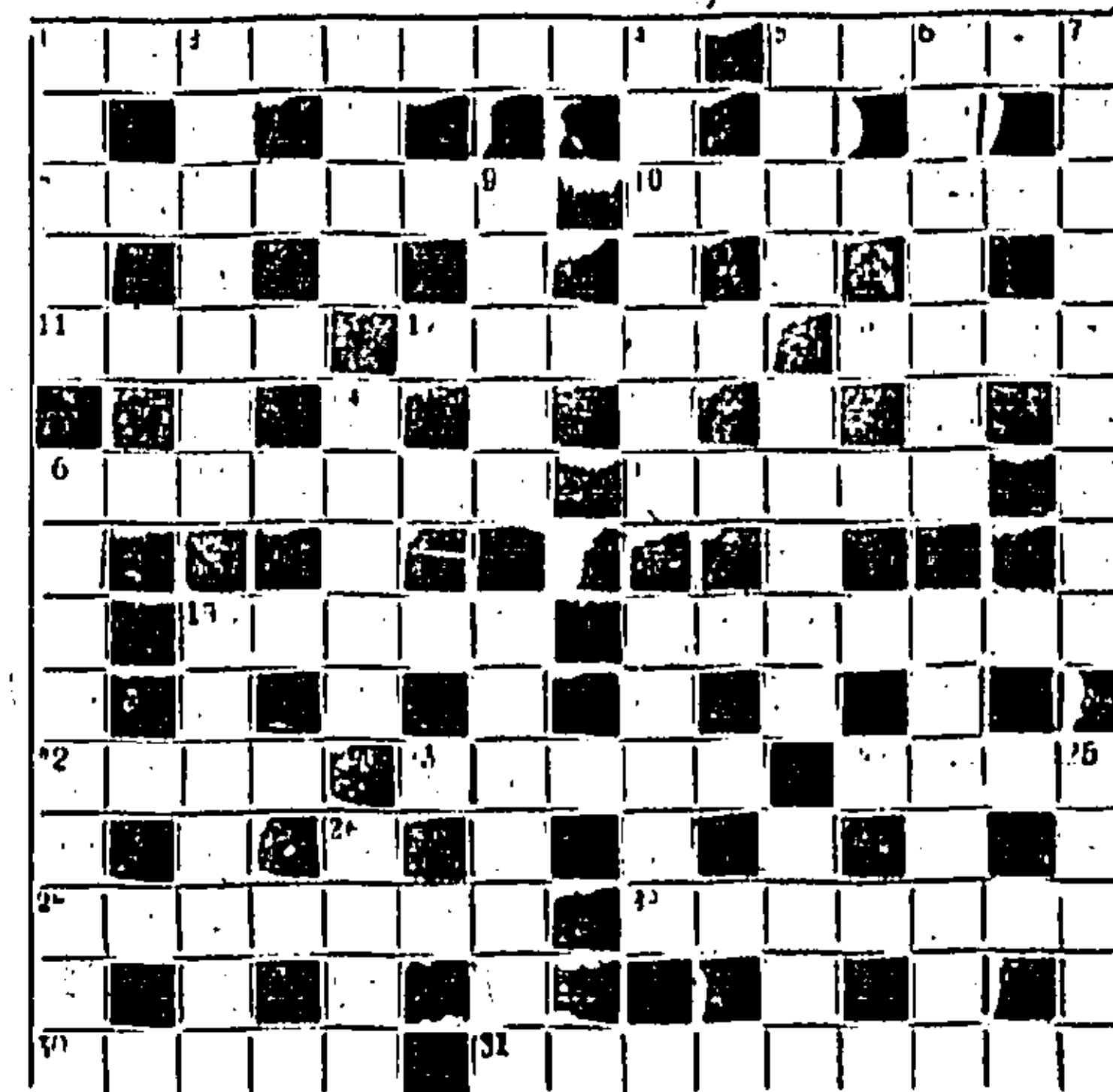
every side you hear remarks such as "Sex stuff again!" "Wretched cowboy film." "Another gangster drama." "When will these film people learn what we want?" To my mind a reflection on the cinema is a reflection on the artist, and when I hear criticism, I regard it as an attack on myself, writes Milton Rosmer, the film producer.

ANYONE who dismisses the cinema with a sweep of the hand, shows himself very ignorant. What of the photography? Modern photography, whether English, American, Russian, or German, is almost uniformly excellent. But the detail and technique behind that simple-looking shot is never realised. It is the same with the dialogue and acting. Infinite pains are taken with rehearsals until the director is satisfied, thousands of pounds are spent in perfecting microscopic effects which the average audience never appreciates. The organisation behind even the most perfunctory film is vast and intricate. From a purely business point of view, no one can sneer at the film. Huge profits are regularly made by all the leading companies. Whilst this happens, there is little prospect of the fare being changed. I have talked on many occasions to film directors about the prestige of the industry and the appreciation of the film as an art, only to be told, "Listen, young man, we've got our finger on the public pulse—we are giving the people what they want."

CRITICS who unthinkingly demand this or that type of film are apt to forget that the cinema is scarcely twenty-five years old. The theatre is two thousand, and, judging by some of its more "modernist" manifestations, is not yet perfect. From a purely personal point of view, I think there is room for films on Britain—English or Scottish country, British cities and scenes, accents and characters and plots. There is no note like the personal. Once you get people saying, "Why that film was just like our street," you are making progress. English history teems with inspiration. There is a wonderful storehouse of drama in costume films with historical themes, which could be made in any of the old castle towns of England. Why should there not be films on smuggling, piracy, or crime, set on the Devon coast, with the local interest in the quaint old village? An English film company does not need to build castles or villages, they are already there.

FILMS of the simple people ought to be made, after the recent surfeit of so-called society dramas. A simple tale, told well, is twenty times as appealing and effective as all the elaborate spectacle of the latest American "wonder" film. The struggles and trials of a Welsh mining village or Lancashire cotton town, if treated sympathetically, would make "good cinema." I was talking about possible films to a Ger-

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- 5 Symbolic of a tribe.
- 8 Heard in camera when closing.
- 10 It's strange, but if it had another head it would make you very angry.
- 11 This way is open to all.
- 12 Smudge.
- 13 Scottish watering place.
- 14 Send bun (anag.).
- 17 Just the herb for you and me.
- 18 If the centre letter were the previous one, the natural gift would be an English coast town.
- 20 All one kind.
- 22 Blooming—as frequently used to describe cheek.
- 23 Narrow piece.
- 24 Poet of old.
- 25 Cony.
- 26 A boy must be than his father.
- 28 Decidedly more than gay.
- 31 Name the boy quite early in the book.

Down

- 1 It may stump you, as it is.
- 2 Is it a vegetable or a fruit?
- 3 Acts in a queer way.
- 4 Bewitch.
- 5 Is an appropriate chief ingredient of this.
- 6 Why are our bodies soft and weak and smooth. Unlaid to toil and—in the world? ("Taming of the Shrew")
- 7 This is 7, although I have to tell

- 9 you wrongly.
- 14 High links for tomboys.
- 15 Now in this one has definite knowledge.
- 16 A simple lyric completely upsets this chap.
- 18 A subordinate who takes his place below the fish.
- 19 Your fate, though it may be a bit thick.
- 20 Full back.
- 21 Make one for it.
- 22 Farache.
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man producer recently, and he showed me something of art in his small studio. This man makes films for love, not money. Judged by American standards he is a failure. I saw amazing studies of cubes and circles which changed their shape as they moved, in Cubist formation, over the screen. To display his versatility he showed me a pictorial or scenic representation of Shelley's "Ode to a Skylark." The rhythmic grace, the light and shade of his study impressed me considerably. At present he is using rhythmic pictures as backgrounds to film stories. Whether one has "artist" leanings or not, he is treating the

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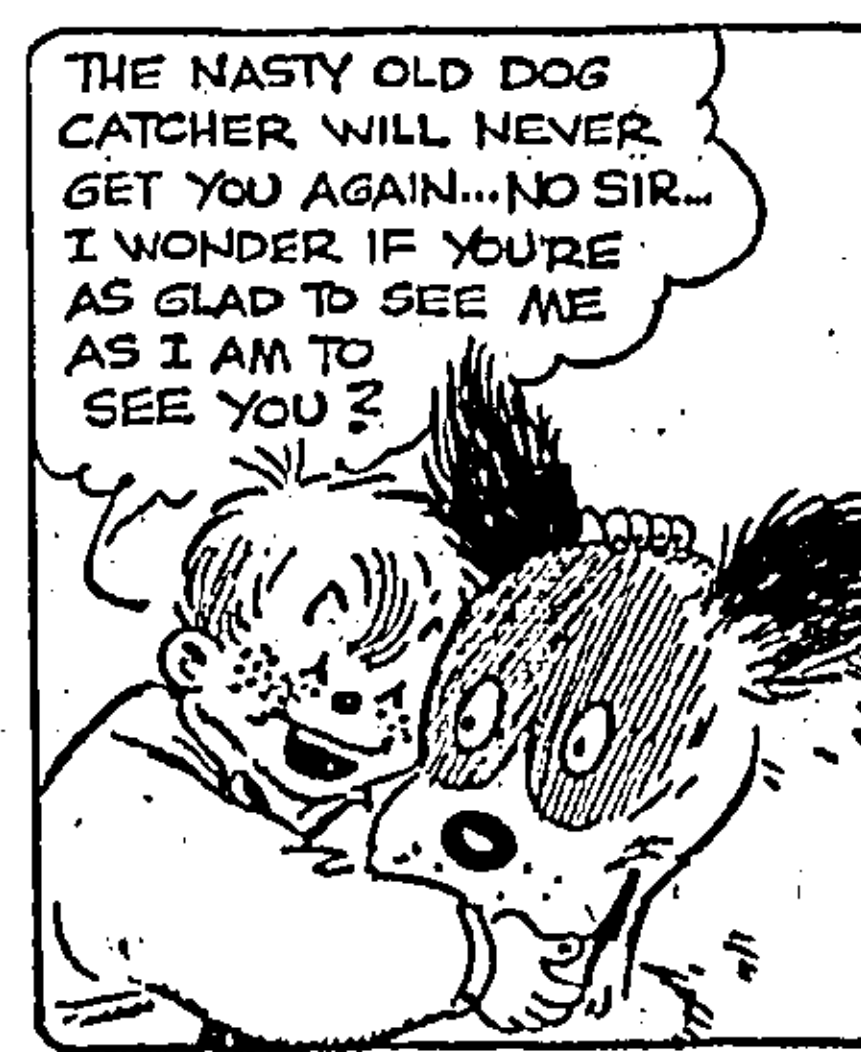
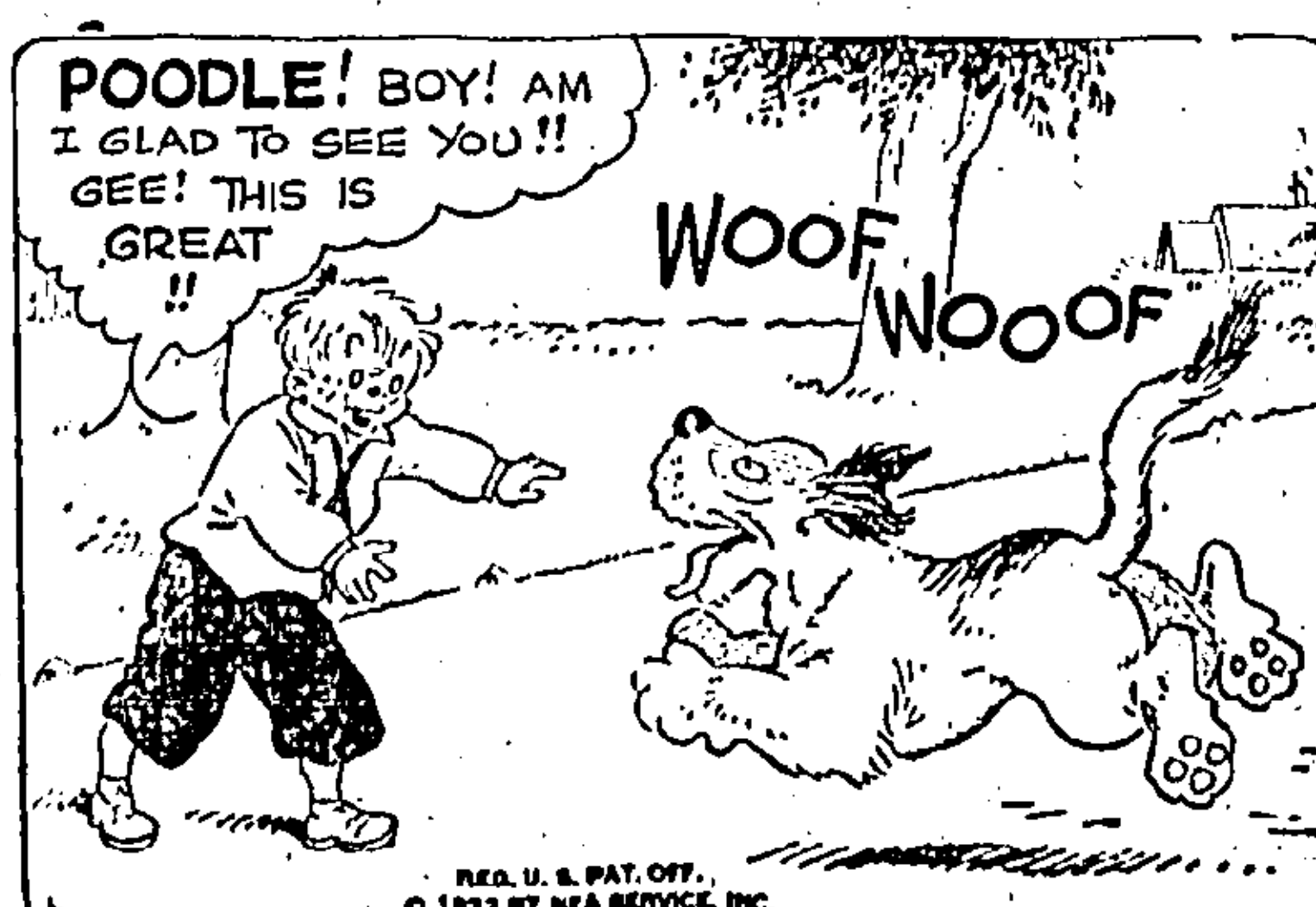
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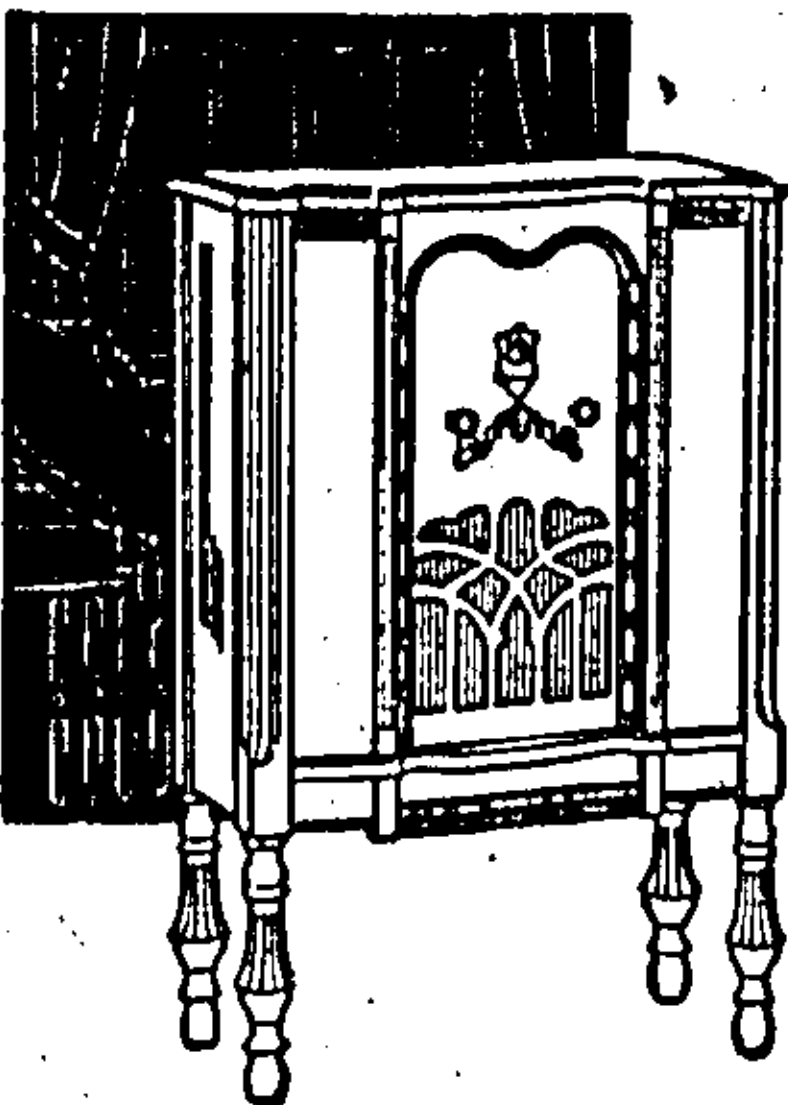
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**THE SIXTH ARMY IN
FUKIEN: 1**

The news that Communist forces are again advancing in north-west Fukien serves to illustrate the fact that the Red influence still dominates large parts of this province, although the 19th Route Army has been successful in winning back some areas. Although it is a coastal province, Fukien has for some years been a backwater of Chinese politics. The Central Government has left it nominally in the hands of the Navy, an anomalous arrangement, but in point of fact the rule of the Navy has not extended much beyond the two ports of Foochow and Amoy. Inland the province has been divided between a number of military leaders, each of whom has carved out a piece for himself, held it against bandits and neighbours, and governed autocratically. The Three Principles have been given a lip-service, but beyond that have exercised little influence on the rulers.

Presumably this state of affairs has been due to the fact that the province has not been on the high-way of the Nationalist armies, and it was more urgent for them to consolidate their position along the interior line from Canton to the Yangtze, and down that river. When Chiang Kai-shek's armies moved north from Canton in 1926-7, they made certain first of their own province, securing the country along the East River and the Chaochowfu-Swallow area, as well as moving in the more direct line up the North River; but when once their hold of that province was secure, they went through Kiangsi on to Hankow, and down from there, leaving behind them a trail of Communism which is now so vigorous that it threatens the State, although the parent body when it reached Hankow disowned Communism and "purged" the Party. In the whole of that movement Fukien was largely left aside.

Kuomintang propaganda indeed penetrated the province, but, no army remaining to back it, never became really dominant. Meanwhile the west of the province caught the contagion of Communism from the neighbouring province of Kiangsi, and for several years its countryside has become increasingly red, and its district cities been subject to raids from the organised Communist armies of Generals Tsu and Mo.

Such was the state of things until the sudden Communist advance further into the province and the capture of the cities of Changchow and Changpu in the spring. General Chang Chen at Changchow failed to stem the advance. General Chen Kuo-fu, who advanced from Chuanchow to Tung-on and held the enemy, made a much better showing. He could do no more, however, than protect his own area. For these, and probably other reasons, the 19th Army, fresh from its long stand against the Japanese at Shanghai, was drafted into Fukien. It had become of the first importance to rid the province of the peril to the Government which the Red advance presented. It had also become important that if, as at that time was widely feared, and as is still a possibility, the Japanese extended operations, the province which figured so prominently in the Twenty-one Demands, owing to its proximity to Formosa, should be held firmly, and as a unit, for the Central Government. The 19th Army were no longer needed in Shanghai. It had indeed been persistently rumoured that they were never in favour with Nanking, being adherents of the Canton faction, though they were nationalist in feeling in the same way that Wang Ching-wei was nationalist. They were moved to what might be the next point of attack in China Proper. The immediate task of the Army on arrival in the province was to move against the Communists. This they gradually did, the main body falling back before them voluntarily from both Changchow and Changpu. More recently the army has advanced into what

for some time has been a Communist preserve; the city of Liungnam and the surrounding country. They have still, however, if they are to clear the province of the Reds, to take and occupy Tingchow, Shanghai, and Yungtin, with other district cities on the Kiangsi border. This may prove more formidable a task, for the people are by now imbued with Communist ideas, and the organised forces of the Reds in Kiangsi may make more effort to hold what has been specifically their territory, although they have not held it constantly.

At the same time that the Army has made its gradual advance into the Communist country, it has had the further problem of dealing with the local military leaders though-out the province. This was not such a clear issue. The leaders have had at least the tacit recognition of Nanking, the Government being only too glad to receive a nominal adhesion from them. Some like Chang Chin, received definite mandates from the Central Government to conduct the anti-Communist campaign. It has however become clear if the province is to have a definite relation to the Government, and in particular to bear its part in the present urgent national issues, it must be unified under a new provincial authority. The local rulers are being eliminated, and a new Government with General Chiang Kwong-nai at its head, set up in Foochow. The administration is not confined to military men. Mr. Fan Khl-mu, who was at the head of the finance department in Canton when General Chen Ming-shu, the original head of the 19th Route Army, was there, is now with his old colleagues in Foochow; but the administration is founded on the power of the army, while the civil problems which now face the army will be more easily dealt with

DAY BY DAY

LAW, CONTRACTS, AND OTHER IMPEDIMENTS OF ALL KINDS ARE ONLY MADE FOR ROGUES.—*Mrs. O'Rell.*

The China Light and Power Recreation Club dance for Saturday, October 29 has been cancelled.

Passengers arriving by the Asama Maru to-day included Mr. J. D. Humphreys and Mrs. R. Leach.

Mr. A. Aoki, Japanese Minister to Rome, is passing through the Colony by the s.s. Inakozaki Maru to-day.

Yesterday, Li Chau, a bricklayer was injured by a fall from scaffolding on the level of the first floor of 611, Shanghai Street, Yau-mat, and was conveyed to the Kowloon Hospital.

Blank ammunition will be fired at intervals from forts at Stonecutters, Belchers and Lyemum between noon November 1st and 9 a.m. November 2nd. Searchlights will be employed during hours of darkness.

Ho So, an elderly woman, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday with an injury to her face, received in an accident at Queen's Road West, when she was knocked down by a goods lorry.

The wedding will shortly take place between Mr. Thomas Charles Harde, merchant, of 38, Whitworth Street, Manchester, at present residing at St. Francis' Hotel, and Miss Kathleen Elgar, who is en route for the Colony by the s.s. Comorin.

It is understood that through the efforts of Mr. Li Yau-tsun, C.B.E., and other prominent Chinese directors of the Handicrafts Free School in Aberdeen, many substantial contributions have been obtained and construction of the school will be started in the near future.

Getting into the way of a fire appliance in Queen's Road West, a little girl, named Chau Kwan, 8 years of age, was rendered unconscious with a fractured skull, received through being struck down. Her condition is regarded as critical at the hospital to which she has been admitted.

Sub-calibre gun practice for the week ending November 5th will take place as follows:—Nov. 1st, Devil's Peak, at 10 a.m., area affected, Tai-chow Channel; Nov. 2nd, Pakshawan, at 5.30 p.m., area affected, Junk Bay; Nov. 3rd, Mt. Davis, at 10.30 a.m., area affected, S.W. of Mt. Davis.

The first of the monthly dances arranged by the Y.M.C.A., to be held throughout the winter was enjoyed last night in the West Lounge, and was a big success. Dancing to the strains of Mickey's Melody Makers, the couples enjoyed themselves until the early hours. The programme included several novelty dances. Mr. S. A. Gray was M.C.

Ruth Chatterton and Paul Lukas are paired in "To-morrow and To-morrow," now showing at the King's Theatre. The film is admirably produced and marked by fine emotional acting on the part of the leads, while Ted Alexander is remarkably good as a child actor. The theme is one which is not likely to appeal to everyone, while there is far too much "sob stuff" to make it satisfying entertainment. As a study, however, many will no doubt find it a distinct change from the ordinary run of pictures.

when a semi-civil Government is in office. Considerations of space preclude us at the moment from dealing farther with the problems ahead, but we hope to return to these to-morrow.



"Yer wastin' yer time ar ound here, sonny. You oughta go to college and study football."

**SCHOOLGIRLS WITH A
BRIDE'S TROUSSEAU**

By MONTAGUE SMITH

FATHER has written to the uniform of discipline and parade. It is the place for multi and freedom.

Mother says: "You know, it really is very awkward. I have to take Jane to Messrs. X. and Y. for her new school outfit, and she knows perfectly well I cannot afford to get all my own things there."

Father says: "Well, of course, it would never do for Jane to go to school and find that the other girls had got better outfits than she has, but why on earth, she wants all those djbabbs, or whatever you call them, I simply cannot understand."

Mother says: "Well, it was not like it in my young days, and I think it is about time they began to teach the girls something of the need for economy. Thank goodness, Jane has got her head screwed on the right way, but what it is going to be like in the future for some of those girls with the extravagant notions the headmistress puts into their minds, I do not know."

Those "Extras" This sort of conversation has been going on in thousands of homes. It follows days of buying in the stores and shops which is the necessary prelude nowadays to sending a girl for the first time to a public school or first-class convent.

Only those parents who have had this experience will know to the full what it means; others may learn it in time. Or, they may, indeed, learn to their sorrow that the cost is prohibitive, and that Jane, or Doris, or Katie must be sent to a different school from their elder sisters.

This is a matter to which the great majority of girls' school, who are really trying to bring down their costs to modern conditions, should apply attention.

Such schools have done a great deal in the last year or two in the way of reducing school fees and eliminating "extras." Nevertheless at the average good public school for girls to-day the year's account will amount generally to this:

Inclusive fee £195 0 0

Extras 15 0 0

Games subscription 3 0 0

Pocket money 6 0 0

Total £219 0 0

On top of this is the cost of the outfit. Bills mount up, and those who have had the experience will testify that the cost of the new outfit demanded to-day for a girl going for the first time to a public school is certainly £100, and may well be £120.

Future "renewals" will cost at least another £20 a term.

In addition there are many items which parents simply have to provide if their daughters are to hold up their heads in their new world—lawn tennis racquets, hockey sticks, golf clubs, and, maybe, dance frocks. Many schools, indeed, now include two non-uniform dance frocks in the list of essentials, and excuse it on the ground that the girls will be able to wear these at home. But whoever heard of an ordinary healthy girl who did not simply hate the idea of wearing any of her school dresses on holiday? For her they are the

occasion. They might give parents a greater latitude of choice of shops when purchasing. They might commend service-ability rather than cost and style. They might inculcate the idea that a stocking darned by its wearer is not necessarily a dishonourable badge. They must, in short, inculcate the virtues of economy.

FIXING TH' WIFESH

By Edward Kelly, Misogynist

We met Pete down the street last night. Pete had been color-brating.

He loomed at us triumphantly. "I fixed her," he said.

We waited for him to continue. "Told her off properly," he said after a pause.

"Told who off?" we asked. "Th' wife, of course," said Pete. "Good man," we said, and shook his hand.

"Told her what I thought of her."

We congratulated him again. "Didn't give her chams got a word in aggewayshi!"

"That's the idea," we said, encouragingly.

"Told her what I thought of her mother ash well," said Pete proudly. "Let her shoe who wash bosh, an' told her she'd worn the trousers long enough."

"Nothing like putting them in their place," we said. "An' when I'd finished telling her th'wah I've wanted to shay (Continued on Page 6.)

PEAK TRAMWAY
TRESPASSYOUTH ALMOST RUN
OVER

A "solicitor's instructions" were mentioned by Inspector Chester Woods, of the Gough Hill Station, at the Central Police Court this morning when presenting a charge of trespassing and obstruction against a young Chinese who was found wandering on the Peak tramway.

Kung Poon, aged 18, the youth charged, was on police bail of \$250, and the Magistrate (Mr. Schofield) in considering the amount, said it seemed to be a rather high bail for such an offence.

Inspector Chester Woods:—As a matter of fact, it is, your Worship. The maximum fine is only \$100 on each charge. But those were Mr. Marton's instructions.

It was indicated that Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons, was appearing for the Tramway Company, at whose instance the prosecution was brought. He was engaged elsewhere, and the prosecuting police officer asked that the case be held over until noon, when the solicitor named would be able to attend.

The case for the Tramway Company was that Kung Poon was found trespassing along the tracks, coming down the incline between Barker and May Roads. At a critical moment, the driver of an oncoming tram, the 1.50 p.m. one from the Peak, had to apply the emergency brake, and a collision with the pedestrian was narrowly missed.

The charge against Kung Poon was two-fold—firstly, that he wilfully trespassed on the track, and secondly, that he caused an obstruction.

Later, Mr. Marton appeared and on a conviction being registered, defendant was fined a total of \$70 on the two charges.

WATER COLOUR
EXHIBITIONFINE DISPLAY AT
KOMOR'S

Messrs. Komor and Komor's water colour exhibition is being held just in time for people who wish to send home authentic Far Eastern studies as Christmas presents. Many of the exhibits are no more costly than the best Christmas cards. For example, there are pretty little pictures ranging in price from \$2 to \$5.50, nicely mounted and signed by the artists.

In addition, there are some remarkably fine studies by Terrachi such as No. 35, "Zushi," a wonderful effect of sunset lights; No. 37, a perfect view with excellent reflections of a beautiful landscape near Yokohama; No. 39, of Numadzu, the well-known summer resort, done as only an artist like Terrachi could do it. Then there are some works by Goto, the wizard of seascapes and mountain views such as No. 59, the Japanese Alps; No. 27, Hodozaya, near Yokohama, and many others of real merit. Banson excels with his fine Fujiyama views, like Nos. 72 and 24.

It is impossible to describe all the pictures on view; they must be seen to be appreciated, and as we have so few occasions in Hongkong to see real art, the exhibition, which is open for ten days only, is well worth visiting.

The exhibition is from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, and all interested will be welcome, whether to purchase or merely to see this wonderful display of the finest water colours exhibited in the Colony for many years.

FASCIST RULE
PRAISEDHONGKONG ITALIANS
FOREGATHER

The tenth anniversary of the Fascist march on Rome, which is being observed throughout Italy as a day of national rejoicing, was fittingly commemorated by the Italian community of Hongkong at a reception at the Italian Consulate this morning.

Every member of the Italian community was present, and orations were delivered by the Acting Consul General, Capt. R. Ferrajolo, and by Professor E. Gualoff, the Secretary of the Fascist Party in Hongkong.

Capt. Ferrajolo, in his speech, outlined the history of the march on Rome, and illustrated the work achieved by every branch of the organization during the past ten years. Emphasizing the results achieved in Italy during the first

MUCH PROGRESS IN
KWANGSIROADS AND CEMENT
WORKS

Nanning, Oct. 21. Since the fighting which terminated in November, 1930, the province has made great strides in the direction of opening up communications. When the war ended, the whole province was over-run with bandits, and travel even on the main roads was a very dangerous proposition. During the last two years this has completely changed and not only on the main roads and rivers but on the highways not yet made into motor roads travel is safe. The river boats are all provided with a guard of two or three soldiers armed with Mauser revolvers. No trouble has been heard of on the rivers for some time except a small section on the Fu River going up to Kweilin.

Recently an inspection has been made of the local guards in all the hilly towns by the general commanding the Fourth Army, in order to see that the suppression of bandits was being carried out effectually.

During the present month a census was taken of the population of the city of Nanning, the capital. In order to meet the difficulty of finding out the number of persons in a house, novel but effective methods were adopted. From 6.30 to 7.30 in the morning nobody was allowed outside his house and during this time the police assisted by the military went round seeing that the papers filled in agreed with the numbers in the houses, each man being responsible to examine the papers of five houses.

NEW ROADS.

Progress has also been shown in the building of roads, a section to Lungchow from Nanning having been completed soon after the fighting ceased. Since then the road from Laichow to Kweilin has been finished and an extension made as far as Sz Ngan in the road running north from Nanning which, rumour says, is to be extended to Kweiyang, the capital of Kweichow province. Work is in progress on the road which is to link Nanning to the sea at Hanchow. In the capital, recent innovations have been the introduction of police to direct the growing number of motor vehicles.

Motor roads are being made in many directions, the biggest scheme being the laying down of an asphalt motor road in the busiest business quarter, Sand Street. This, when it is completed, will be the widest and best street in the city. There is also to be a new motor road going out where the North Gate now stands. This is to be demolished shortly, and rumour says, that the city wall, which was of such great value to the defenders during the siege two years ago, is to be broken down and a motor road made.

CEMENT WORKS.

Other projects which are more or less certain are the moving of the aerodrome and aviation school to Laichow. This will probably take place before the year is out. The other large project is the erection of a cement works which is to meet the tremendous demand for cement for building purposes. This is to be either at Nanning or at Kweihien as being more central. A project which has been mooted, but is hardly likely to be carried out yet, is that of automatic telephone service.

At present the greatest and most urgent needs are for a better electric light service in the towns, especially the capital, the light being at the best of an exceedingly poor quality and sometimes being so poor as to make reading impossible. The others are for an system of drainage. This has already been started in Wuchow, but is confined to that city and for a system for irrigation. This would save the perpetual fear of drought and dependence on the summer rains. This has already been begun by an enterprising helen official at Ning Ming, but it might well be extended. Some motor trucks on the roads would do much to assist in the transport of goods from one place to another.

At present the province has a very able and progressive government, and, granted peace for a few years, should make very great strides in the way of progress.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

decade of the regime, Capt. Ferrajolo said that the rehabilitation of Italy was made possible solely through the magnetic personality and untiring work of Il Duce, Signor Mussolini.

In concluding, Capt. Ferrajolo outlined the form of assistance which the Italian Government will, in future, give to Italians living abroad.

Police
Charge on
Motor-CyclesNOVEL METHODS IN
LIVERPOOL

Liverpool, Sept. 22. The police had another clash with the unemployed here to-day, but they adopted modern methods, and cleared a disturbed area in a few minutes.

The unemployed assembled in Canterbury-street and refused to move on at the request of the police. Bricks and other missiles were thrown.

Immediately about 30 or 40 policemen charged down the street and the unemployed fled in all directions. Some rushed into houses wherever they saw a door open.

The charge was led by motor-cycle combinations, each carrying four policemen.

The officers on the pillars and in the side-cars struck at the legs of the fleeing demonstrators, who were not free from pursuit even when they ran up side turnings and even passages leading to the backs of houses. The police combination pursued them and were more effective than police on horseback. Foot police hung on to the motor-cycles like the infantry used to cling to the stirrups of cavalry.

Police Chief Determined.

"The disorder was dealt with adequately by the police, and any further disorder will be put down as promptly," said the Chief Constable (Mr. A. K. Wilson).

Mr. Wilson, when Chief Constable of Plymouth, played a big part in quelling the rioting at Dartmoor Prison early this year. Shopkeepers in the district who have not had their windows smashed are boarding up the windows to prevent looting. The recent happenings at Birkenhead have made them afraid that attempts on a similar scale will be made here.

The fact that some of the Birkenhead unemployed are likely to get increased relief has been a big incentive to the Liverpool men.

Some of the extremists at Birkenhead have asked for boots, clothing, and coal in addition to money.

The 16 men charged with disorderly behaviour and assault on the police, arising from Wednesday's disturbances, were brought before the Court to-day and remanded for a week, 15 being allowed bail.

MOTOR MISHAP
SEQUELFINE IMPOSED FOR
OFFENCE

An accident on the Castle Peak Road on October 19 had a sequel at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court. Mr. Butters this morning when Mr. A. Zimmern was summoned for failing to keep his car to the extreme left of the road.

This was revealed by Traffic Sergeant Clarke, who prosecuted, that the defendant turned a bend just above the Laichikok Prison without keeping to the left side, with the result that his car collided with that of Mr. C. W. Jeffries, who was with Mr. B. D. Evans. Mr. Jeffries' car was thrown off the road, but fortunately nobody was hurt.

His Worship:—Is the damage being settled privately?

Sergeant Clarke:—I believe so, your Worship.

His Worship:—Is that so, Mr. Zimmern?

His Worship:—The fine is \$20.

ROSS MYSTERY
CAMBRIDGE DEATH
RECALLED

A rose-membrance between the death in Paris of Mr. Donald Ross, the British business man, of Malsons-Laffite, and that of the Cambridge Undergraduate, Mr. F. J. C. Ellis, who last February was found trussed up and asphyxiated in his room, has been pointed out to the police by an English resident of Malsons-Laffite.

He suggested that Mr. Ross, who was found dead with his hands and feet tied with radio wire, may have tied himself up as Ellis did and died while trying to free himself.

This theory does not account for the great disorder in which the room was found.

The police suggest that Mr. Ross was accompanied home by a friend or friends and in a fit of fury tried to destroy the home. He is alleged to have threatened this when his wife left him to go to England.

Unable to calm him, his friends may have tied him up and left him.

HOW PUBLIC MONEY
GOESLACK OF CONTROL BY
PARLIAMENT

The conviction that further substantial administrative economies are still possible is expressed in the report of the Select Committee on Public Accounts.

The Committee's report is, however, rather a criticism of the method than of the amount of expenditure in various directions. In particular are the Committee concerned with the Road Fund, from which expenditure is made without Parliamentary control.

Their report mentions that during the year ending March 31, 1931, nearly £22,000,000 of expenditure came under the head of grants-in-aid, and they express the opinion that this sum is too large. The Committee find that "a system under which it is possible for the Ministry of Transport and the Treasury to incur heavy liabilities in excess of the resources of the Fund without the prior authority of Parliament is open to serious objection."

For this reason and having regard also to the fact that the revenues of the Fund have more than doubled since 1920, they strongly recommend that in future the annual programmes of expenditure from the Road Fund should be submitted for the approval of the House of Commons.

Loose Administration

The looseness of the administrative machinery is also indicated in connexion with the statutory powers of the Ministry of Labour. The use of the Appropriation Act to override existing statutory provisions is raised in connexion with unemployment insurance, and the Committee report that "in any future case in which it is proposed on grounds of emergency to use the Appropriation Act temporarily to override statutory limitations, the Government should strictly observe the rule laid down... that the facts should be clearly stated on the face of the estimate."

The hope is expressed that the Ministry's powers will be put on "a clearly defined basis" when unemployment legislation again comes before the House.

The Committee pass to "speculation on the passing of Bills," and refer to expenditure incurred by the Board of Education in anticipation of the passing of the Bill to raise the school-leaving age.

It was admitted, the report stated, that one item of expenditure had been incurred in anticipation of legislation amounting to £300,000 a year at the present time, and that though this money "and other sums not identifiable" have not been wasted, "it is clear that they would not have been spent had the rejection of the Bill been foreknown." It refers to the process as "a plain offence against sound and economical finance."

In connexion with the Empire Marketing Board, the Committee urge the need for the utmost caution in the future expenditure on film production. Attention is also drawn to the operating loss on the Telegraphic Service.

It appears from the evidence submitted to the Committee that the reign of the King has been marked by the issue of the crown piece. There were 2,905 issued, but they were made at the Mint for "collectors and so on, like medals."

SHOT BY ROBOT
INVENTOR HURT

Mr. Harry May, the inventor of the Robot mechanical man, which was exhibited at Olympia and is now one of the attractions at the Brighton Electrical Exhibition, was recently shot by the robot.

He received a severely burned hand. Mr. May was demonstrating to a crowded audience how the robot fired a gun, when the weapon went off. Mr. May, who had his hand near the hole cut in the barrel to allow the gas to escape, recoiled from the shock.

When the accident took place several members of the audience screamed, but Mr. May quickly calmed them, though in severe pain.

While Mr. May is inserting the blank cartridge it is customary for the robot to say: "Mind, or I will blow your hand off." It was actually forming those words when the accident happened.

In an interview Mr. May said: "I can give no reason why the gun went off except that someone in the audience may have said something which affected the mechanism. Of course I shall be carrying on the demonstrations because if I did not, it would appear that 'Alphie,' the mechanical man had become my master."

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is moving eastward and is now centred over Japan. The typhoon has again recurred and is situated in the western part of the Ballantine Channel, moving westward. Local forecast:—North winds, fresh to strong; fair at first; cloudy with rain later.

RADIO
BROADCASTPIANO ITEMS FROM THE
STUDIO

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 365 meters (846 K.C.'s). 5-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7 p.m. Closing Stock Quotations. 7.30-7.45 p.m. A Concert.

Orchestral-Romances of Vienna (Strauss)...Salon Orchestra C2042.

Vocal Duet—Two Found A Whole World In You (Lentini).

Vocal Duet—Dainty Little Maiden (Besley)...Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham B3716.

Pianoforte—Concerto in E Minor (Mendelsohn)...Benno Moisewitsch E393.

Song—Out in the Night (Lidgley). Song—The Yeoman's Wedding (Poniatowski)...Percy Heming (Baritone) E437.

Violin Solo—La Fille Aux Cheveux De Lin (Debussy-Hartmann).

Violin Solo—En Bateau (Debussy) Fritz Kreisler 1358.

7.30-8 p.m. From The Studio. A Pianoforte Recital by Miss Mary Brown.

Programme.

1. Romance Without Words (Rebikov).

2. Papillon (Grieg).

3. Pierrette (Chaminade).

4. Rattle of Spring (Sinding).

5. Waltz (Brahms).

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.30-8.45 p.m. Musical Comedy, and Light Opera.

Vocal Gems from "The Girl Friend." Light Opera Company C1399.

Vocal Gems from "Miss Hook of Holland"....Light Opera Company C1089.

Selections from "Blue Eyes." Selections from "This Year of Grace"....The New Mayfair Orchestra C1510.

Vocal Gems from "Dear Love"....Light Opera Company C1800.

8.30-10.30 p.m.

A Relay of "The Revellers" Band from Government House, by courtesy of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government and Mrs. W. T. Southern. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

9-9.20 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by Mr. W. B. Winram at the Piano.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News.

10.35 p.m. (Approx.) Close Down. All records in the above European Programme are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.

N.B.—On Monday 31st, All Hallowe'en, European Music, including a Dance Programme will be broadcast from 7-11.45 p.m. and on Tuesday 1st, November, the European Programme will be transmitted from 5-8 p.m.

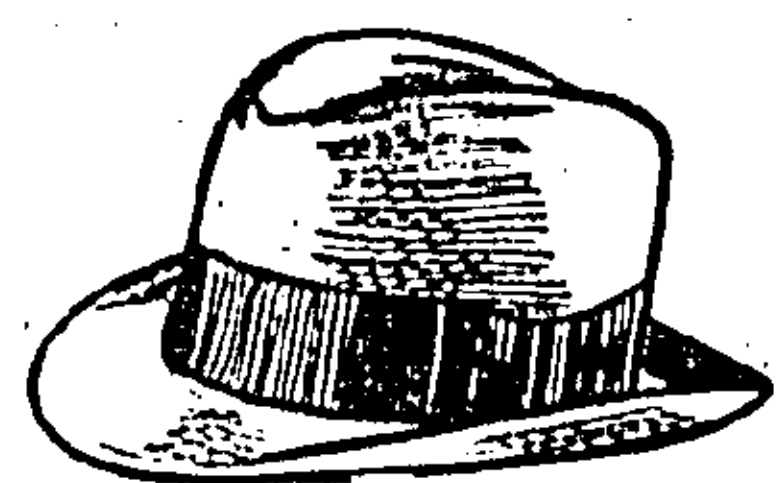
CINEMA "SHOTS" AND
"SEQUENCES"

(Continued from Page 5.)

ANOTHER film we might make is the short, compact comedy—a welcome deliverance from the pie throwing, slapstick affairs with which we are still spoon-fed. There is no greater scope than in humorous films, and a polished, carefully produced talking comedy with really witty dialogue, which would take twenty minutes to screen, has yet to be made. Tempo must be considered in film craft. A comedy played at a dirge-like pace can ruin any humorous merits that it may possess; a tragedy played at breakneck speed can reduce itself to a farce.

The talking film ought to be a great medium for education and instruction. Already medical students are being taught in Britain by a small apparatus installed in lecture theatres, and when installation becomes cheaper, our schools would do well to adopt this method of teaching. Used properly, the film can be of great benefit, and it can also do great harm. It can circulate propaganda throughout the world. Nothing can be concealed from the camera's eye, which does not lie. Everything points to it being the most potent influence of the next twenty years. Let us hope it will be used for good.

ONE of the best films of the week has been showing at the Star Theatre. It is *The Unholy Night*, and not only is it a film of unusual merit from many angles, but affords some interesting facts. In the first place it was one of the earliest talkies and gave John Miljan the earliest chance to prove himself—a chance which he grasped with both hands so that he has now developed into one of the foremost of Hollywood's character-players; secondly it saw the debut of Roland Young in talkies; and thirdly it was directed by none other than the most popular screen player in the world. Unfortunately *The Unholy Night* has finished its run and recommendation comes rather too late to be of much value. Nevertheless it is not entirely out of place to remark that it reaches what can be regarded as pretty nearly the peak of cinematography in those early and experimental days of the first talking pictures. Furthermore its direction shows that Barrymore infuses as much personality and intelligence into this technical side of the cinema as he has done in his subsequent playing. In every respect the picture was a very fine entertainment, and incidentally one of the very few films with a mystery sufficiently water-tight to remain as much until the closing sequences.

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A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Oct. 27.

Dow Jones averages:
Oct. 26. Oct. 27.
30 Industrials 61.30 61.80
20 Rails 27.04 27.86
20 Utilities 27.18 27.42Messrs E. A. Pierce & Co. Report:
—The market, as yet, denotes little beyond a small trading rally and indicates no immediate standpoint. A policy of leisurely buying should be followed, taking advantage of dips and not attempting to reach for stocks. Business done: 700,000 shares.

| | Oct. 26. | Oct. 27. |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Air Reduction | 55 1/2 | 54 1/2 |
| Allied Chemical & Dye | 72 1/2 | 73 |
| American Cattle | 51 | 52 |
| American Telephone & Telegraph | 103 1/2 | 103 1/2 |
| American Tobacco | 66 | 66 1/2 |
| Anaconda Copper | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| Auburn | 42 1/2 | 41 |
| Borden Company | 27 | 25 1/2 |
| Canadian Pacific | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 |
| Chrysler Motors | 13 1/2 | 14 |
| Consolidated Gas of New York | 57 1/2 | 57 1/2 |
| Drugs, Inc. | 30 1/2 | 31 |
| Du Pont de Nemours | 33 1/2 | 34 |
| Eastman Kodak | 50 1/2 | 50 1/2 |
| Electric Bond & Share | 61 | 61 |

"TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

Numerous Pictures To-morrow

There will be a large array of topical pictures in to-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Pictorial supplement, including a further batch of successful students in the Trinity College of Music examinations.

Weddings illustrated will be those of Mr. J. R. Hinton and Miss K. E. Keogh, Mr. A. H. Finnie and Miss Olive Dixon, Mr. A. C. Ford and Miss Joyce Hook, and Mr. A. F. Judd and Miss C. E. West.

Several pictures of the Hongkong University Arts Association's production of "The Rivals" will appear, as well as groups of Lugard Hall students and of the St. John's Hostel basketball championship team.

Other pictures will include a group taken at the opening of the bazaar and fête in aid of the Children's Hospital and Orphanage of the Convent of the Sisters of the Precious Blood at Shamshuipo.

| Share | 24 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| General Electric | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| General Foods | 28 1/2 | 28 1/2 |
| General Motors | 13 1/2 | 13 |
| Gillette Safety | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| International Harvester | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| International Tel. & Tel. | 9 1/2 | 9 1/2 |
| Liggett & Myers | 60 1/2 | 57 |
| Loew's Inc. | 26 1/2 | 27 1/2 |
| Montgomery Ward | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| National Biscuit | 35 | 35 1/2 |
| Pacific Gas & Electric | 26 1/2 | 27 1/2 |
| Pennsylvania Railway | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Radio Corporation | 7 1/2 | 7 |
| Scars Roebuck | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 |
| Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey | 29 1/2 | 30 1/2 |
| Socony - Vacuum Corp. | 9 1/2 | 10 |
| Union Carbide & Carbon | 23 1/2 | 23 1/2 |
| Union Pacific | 64 1/2 | 64 1/2 |
| United States Steel | 35 1/2 | 35 1/2 |
| Westinghouse E. & M. | 25 1/2 | 26 |

—Reuter.



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EXTRACTS FROM THE "TELEGRAPH" FILES

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended Oct. 28th, 1911.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 10d.

The Hon. Mr. A. W. Brewin, Secretary for Chinese Affairs, was invested with the C.M.G., and Mr. E. H. d'Aquino with the I.S.O.

A proposal was submitted to the Sanitary Board that licensed premises for the sale of food should be free from plaster ceilings, stair-hallings and wainscoatings, as a preventive measure against breeding of rats.

The N.Y.K. liner Shinyo Maru arrived in Hongkong on her maiden voyage.

The rebellion against the Manchus continued, Canton declaring its independence. Fung Shan, the new Tartar General to Canton, was assassinated by a bomb on his arrival to take up office.

EXCHANGE RATES

| | Oct. 26. | Oct. 27. |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Paris | 83.11/16 | 83.9/16 |
| Geneva | 17.07 | 17.00 1/2 |
| Berlin | 13.85 1/2 | 13.80 1/2 |
| Helsingfors | 230 | 230 |
| Oslo | 19.05 | 19.00 |
| Athens | 675 | 670 |
| Milan | 64.5/16 | 64 1/2 |
| Buenos Aires | Nom. | Nom. |
| Shanghai | 1/9.11/16 | 1/9 1/2 |
| New York | 3.20 1/2 | 3.23 1/2 |
| Amsterdam | 8.18 1/2 | 8.15 |
| Vienna | 28 1/2 | 28 |
| Prague | 111 1/2 | 111 |
| Madrid | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 |
| Bucharest | 555 | 555 |
| Hongkong | 1/4 1/2 | 1/4 1/2 |
| Brussels | 23.21/32 | 23.50 1/2 |
| Copenhagen | 19.10 1/2 | 19.18 1/2 |
| Stockholm | 19.20 | 19.12 1/2 |
| Lisbon | 109 1/2 | 108 1/2 |
| Rio | 5.9/32 | 5 1/2 |
| Bombay | 1/6.11/64 | 1/6.11/64 |
| Yokohama | 1/4 1/2 | 1/4 |
| Montevideo | 30 | 30 |
| Montreal | 3.61 1/2 | 3.63 |
| Belgrade | 255 | 245 |
| War Loan | Assented | 17 1/2 |
| Silver (spot) | 17 1/2 | 18 1/2 |
| " (forward) | 17 1/2 | 18.3/10 |

—British Wireless.

I.L.D. CERTIFICATES.

Of the Societe Internationale de Placements, Basle. (Local Agents Messrs. A. Goeke & Co.) Thursday's official quotation in Basle, excluding dividends accrued was 22.16s. 8d.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Hongkong Bank, \$1.680 n. | Canton Ins., \$1.355 b. |
| Hongkong Lon. Reg. \$1.113 n. | Union Ins., \$1.512 a. |
| Chartered Bank, \$1.414 n. | China Underwriters, \$2.85 b. |
| Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$2.3 n. | H.K. Fire Ins., \$1.180 n. |
| Insurance | International Assoc. Tls. \$1.15 b. |
| Canton Ins., \$1.355 b. | Douglases, \$26 b. |
| Union Ins., \$1.512 a. | H.K. Steamboats, \$23 1/2 n. |
| China Underwriters, \$2.85 b. | Indo-China, \$1.345 n. |
| H.K. Fire Ins., \$1.180 n. | Indo-China (Def.), \$32 n. |
| International Assoc. Tls. \$1.15 b. | Shell (Bearer), \$7.6 n. |
| Douglases, \$26 b. | Union Waterworks, \$20 1/2 b. |
| H.K. Steamboats, \$23 1/2 n. | Mining |
| Indo-China, \$1.345 n. | Bonquets, \$18 1/2 n. |
| Indo-China (Def.), \$32 n. | Kailans, \$23/9 n. |
| Shell (Bearer), \$7.6 n. | Langkats (Single), Tls. \$1.4 n. |
| Union Waterworks, \$20 1/2 b. | S'hai Explorations, Tls. \$2.10 n. |
| Mining | S'hai Lons, Tls. \$2.20 n. |
| Bonquets, \$18 1/2 n. | Venz: Goldfields, \$3.80 n. |
| Kailans, \$23/9 n. | Benguet Exp., 17 cts. n. |
| Langkats (Single), Tls. \$1.4 n. | H.K. Wharves, \$143 b. |
| S'hai Explorations, Tls. \$2.10 n. | H.K. & Docks, \$26 1/2 n. |
| S'hai Lons, Tls. \$2.20 n. | S. China Motor A., \$10 n. |
| Venz: Goldfields, \$3.80 n. | S. China Motor B., \$8 n. |
| Benguet Exp., 17 cts. n. | Providents (old), \$4.85 b. |
| H.K. Wharves, \$143 b. | Providents (New), \$2.20 n. |
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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

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"To-morrow and To-morrow," Philip Barry's play of a courageous, unconventional wife to whom marriage is not a sufficient anti-forging, is the latest starring film vehicle for Ruth Chatterton, recently completed at Paramount's west coast studios. This philosophical, yet clearly understandable emotional drama is the present King's Theatre's feature. Paul Lukas supports Miss Chatterton in the featured male lead. The play, the latest by the author of more than ten recent Broadway successes, enjoyed a long run in New York and is now playing in numerous large cities throughout America. It was hailed by critics as one of the best works of Barry, author of "The Great Game" and "You and I." Miss Chatterton's part as a woman whose heart is divided between her earthbound, paternal collector husband and a man who uncovers hidden romantic spots of her life, is said by preview critics to be her most dramatic role since entering pictures.

"One Heavenly Night."

In the shooting of a scene for "One Heavenly Night," which comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday next, Evelyn Love was seated in a limousine, waiting to be greeted by Leon Kirby. The renowned comic opened the door, and with proper amount of stage surprise, said, "You shouldn't have come!" The script girl laughed. "What's the matter?" asked Director George Fitzmaurice. "I was just thinking that Samuel Goldwyn should use those words for a trade mark," was the reply. "They've been used in the last four pictures. A check-up proved her right. When Ronald Colman came to Joan Bennett's cottage to save her from the crooks in "Bulldog Drummond," she exclaimed in a stern, "You shouldn't have come here!" This same phrase was used in "Condemned" and "Raffles." And similarly, when he came to warn her that the sheriff was after her and Eddie Cantor in "Whoopie." Every one of these pictures has proved a tremendous hit. Studio critics believe this common factor insures the success of "One Heavenly Night." Yet, it may achieve success for other reasons.

"Is Everybody Happy?"

Tin Pan Alley has moved to Hollywood with all its racket and in all its glory. Many of the most famous song writers of New York have now taken up their permanent residence in the film capital, and are expending their talents in supplying the songs which, with the advent of the talking picture, have become such an important part of film productions. Two of these writers, Grant Clarke and Harry Akst, have collaborated in writing the songs for "Is Everybody Happy?" the Warner Bros. and Vitaphone production starring Ted Lewis, now playing at the Queen's Theatre. The musical and characteristically Ted Lewis songs featured in this melodious picture of Broadway life are "Wouldn't It Be Wonderful?" "I'm the Medicine Man for the Blues" and "I'm Blue for You, New Orleans," while one catchy number, "Samoa," is sung by the ravishing Ann Pennington. In addition, a special song entitled "The Land of Jazz" was written especially for "Is Everybody Happy?" by Ray Perkins and J. Keirn Brennan.

FIXING TH' WIFESH

(Continued from Page 6.)

for years, I banged th' door an' came down town for a drinkah.
"Two drinks," we suggested.
"Yesh, maybe I hadda couple," Pete conceded.

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"Dunno what to do,"

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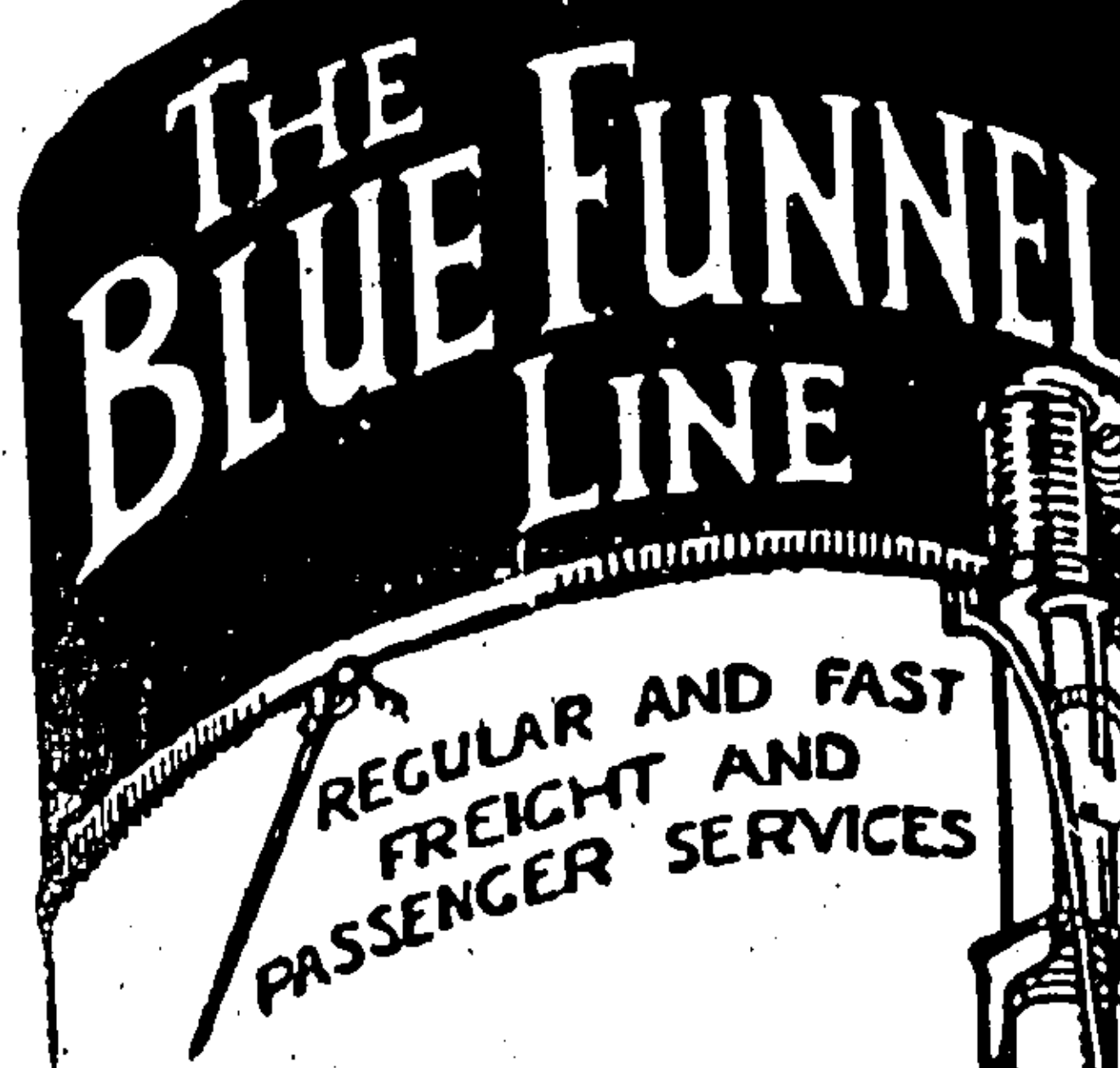
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H.K.C.C. MEETING

POSSIBLE CHANGE IN THE CRICKET INTERPORT

It was revealed at the annual general meeting of the Hongkong Cricket Club yesterday that possibly future interport cricket teams will go up to Shanghai in October or November. This announcement was made by Mr. H. R. D. Hancock, who presided at the meeting, the reason being that during these two months, "one can be reasonably assured of good weather."

After asking the Hon. Secretary, Mr. L. S. Greenhill, to read the notice convening the meeting, Mr. Hancock said:

"Gentlemen.—The report and accounts with auditors' certificate attached, having been in your hands for the prescribed period, I will, with your permission, follow the usual procedure and take them as read. The report fully covers the activities of the club for the period under review, but I should like to take this opportunity of enlarging on it a little."

Two interport cricket matches have been played against Shanghai since our last meeting a year ago. The first one here in November which resulted in a draw and the second one in May this year in Shanghai which we won by the narrow margin of 42 runs.

Most of you will remember that owing to very bad weather it was touch and go whether the game in Shanghai would be played at all, and as it was, it was only carried through under extremely unfavourable conditions to both sides. I should like to congratulate Mr. Mitchell and his team on their victory. It is not always possible as you know to get the best talent for a visiting side, but the "will to win" and the cheerfulness of the Hongkong skipper, I have no doubt were no mean factors in our victory. It has been suggested that our visit to Shanghai should take place in October or November, when one can be reasonably assured of good weather and the turn next comes to visit the Northern Port. We shall meantime look forward to a visit from Shanghai in November, 1933.

Balance Sheet.

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Whilst on the subject of members' accounts, I would once again ask members and subscribers with small accounts to pay a deposit of say \$10 against bills—both as a convenience to themselves and to the Hon. Secretary, a great deal of whose valuable time on our behalf is spent in writing letters to members who are behind in their payments. I referred in my speech at this annual general meeting of 1929 to this same subject, and if a little more consideration were shown by members a great deal of unnecessary work would be saved.

A Complaint Book.

One or two members have approached me with suggestions which they considered would be to the benefit of members as a whole. These have mostly been accepted by your Committee and are in force. One of them was a complaint book, which will be kept in the Secretary's office, and which is not to be removed. If any member has at any time any suggestion to make for the benefit of members as a whole, I can assure you it will receive the earnest consideration of your Committee.

I do not think I have anything further to say, beyond a personal reference to the Committee and the Hon. Secretary. I would like to take this opportunity of thanking them for their willing co-operation in all matters in connexion with the Club. Gentlemen, I can assure you that they are all good workers and have the best interests of the Club at heart.

I now beg to propose the adoption of the report and accounts as presented, and when this has been duly seconded I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any questions members may wish to ask in connexion with them.

The report was seconded by Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy and passed unanimously.

The Accounts.

Turning now to the accounts, I hope you will agree that they are satisfactory. The gross profit working account is \$8,070.25—some \$3,376 lower than the previous year—but you will notice that gate receipts for the annual tennis tournament are down by about \$1,000, which is beyond our control. The loss or sale of tennis gear, principally balls is \$42.35 against a profit of the previous year of \$980.94—a difference of \$1,000. I would emphasize that tennis playing members get their tennis balls at very cheap prices. We hope this

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year to do better in this respect, as we have lately made arrangements which we hope will prevent a loss in future, but we cannot expect big profits on this item so long as the present system of supplying balls to members is in force.

Bar profits are also down by nearly \$1,000, but I would mention that charges for drinks to members have not varied appreciably during the past twelve months—in spite of the fluctuations in exchange and duties. This accounts for the lower profits, in spite of the larger turn-over.

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New Officers.

Proposed by Mr. F. Syme-Thompson and seconded by Mr. P. P. Jacks, Mr. Hancock was unanimously re-elected President of the Club.

Messrs. Linstead and Davies were re-elected Auditors on the proposal of Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, seconded by Mr. W. Wright.

The following were elected to the Committee:—Messrs. H. J. Armstrong, A. C. Beck, A. C. I. Bowker, V. R. Gordon, A. W. Hayward, R. M. Henderson, P. M. Hodgson, E. J. R. Mitchell and T. E. Pearce.

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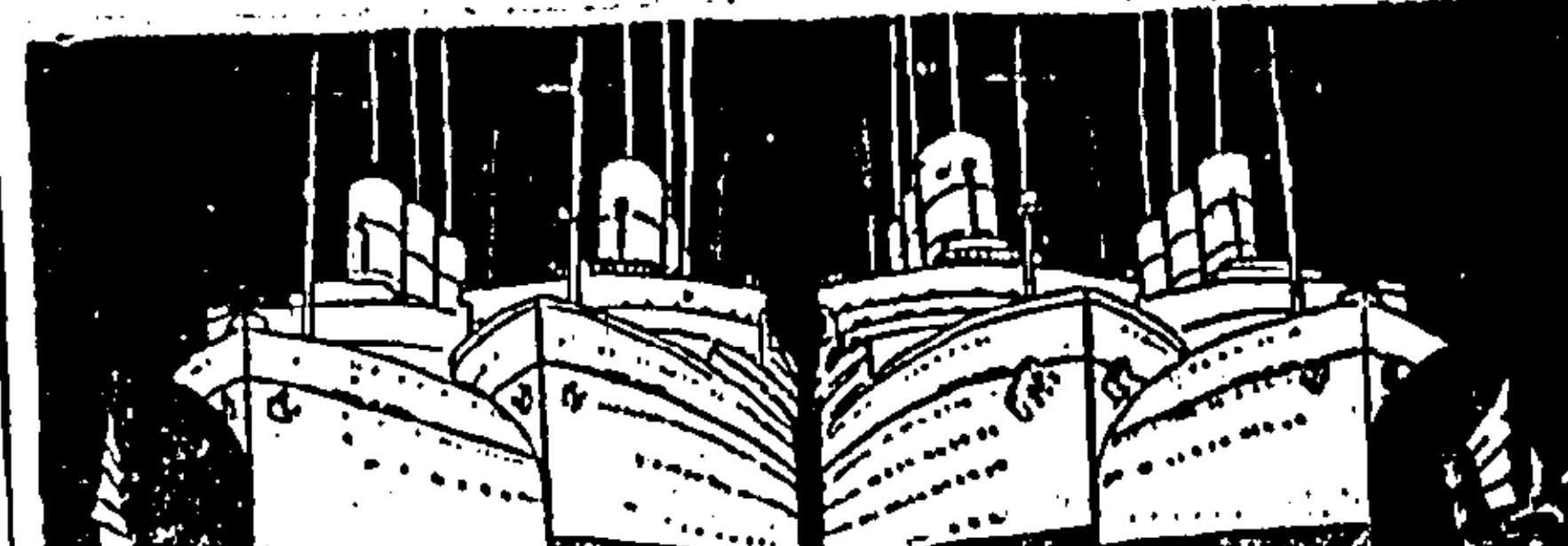
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Described as the first case of its kind ever to come before the Court, the trial concluded before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Magistrate yesterday afternoon of three Chinese, officials of the Kwong Yee Tong Masons Guild, who were alleged to have used coercive methods in inducing five workmen to join their organization.

A conviction was recorded, and each of the three men charged was ordered to pay a fine of \$100.

The case was marked by much legal discussion on the constructive and progressive meaning of the "threat" contained in the charge; counsel for the defence, (Mr. Hin-shing Lo) holding that if it was a threat at all, it did not entail violence and, therefore, did not amount to a criminal act.

Guild Investigators.

In this case the three men, occupying the position of "guild investigators" pleaded that they were sent out to see that certain regulations governing the organization, and which had received the blessing of the Secretariat of Chinese Affairs, were complied with by members. They were held to have gone beyond their functions and infringed the law, when finding five workmen on a Conduit Road building site who were not members of their Guild, they took their trowels from them.

"If a man faced with a civil suit," argued Mr. Lo, quoting a legal precedent, "threatens to burn his adversary's house unless he withdraws his suit, that is criminal intimidation. But in the present case, he merely takes the other man's trowel, but he has not taken away his livelihood. The mason, it is true, has had to suspend work for some little time, certainly not more than a quarter of an hour, but he is not deprived of his wages for that period. He has not lost anything."

Charge Caps Offence.

His Worship referred to the wording of the charge, which was that Leung Ngau, Lo Ting and Tsung Sam "unlawfully did threaten Wong Sing Wan So, Wan Ngan, Ng Yee and Suen Sam with an illegal act, to wit, to deprive said persons of their livelihood as masons if they failed to do an act which they were not legally bound to do, to wit, to become members of the Kwong Yee Tong Guild..." and held that every word of that charge was proved. He was satisfied that the accused unlawfully did threaten the masons, by taking away their tools and making their intention clear that they would return them only if and when they joined their guild.

The penalty section of the Ordinance text came under the attention of the Court, and his Worship said that the summary maximum penalty of six months and a \$500 fine was to be compared with the sentence of five years if the accused were sent to the Higher Court on an indictment.

A General Warning.

In imposing a \$500 fine, his Wor-

NEW COMMODORE

MR. A. L. SHIELDS CHOSEN
AT ANNUAL MEETING

Mr. A. L. Shields was elected Commodore of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club at the annual meeting of the club yesterday. The vice-commodore, Mr. H. S. Rouse presided over a large attendance.

The following report of the General Committee was presented to the meeting. The period under review is one of some importance in the history of the club since, during the year, the reclamation of the club basin has been commenced and is progressing rapidly. As members are aware this will eventually result in the removal of the club to a site elsewhere and a sub-committee, to deal with this most important question, has been formed which is in communication with the Government.

The committee take this opportunity of recording their thanks to Messrs. Shields, Vernal and Duley for the trouble and time they have expended on behalf of the club and also of asking for the support and co-operation of every member during the difficult time which lies ahead. The membership of the club at present stands at 320.

During the year 38 new members have joined the club together with 20 new subscribers whilst nine members and seven subscribers have resigned.

Admiralty Warrants.

The committee takes this opportunity to stress once more the need for more yacht owners to take out Admiralty Warrants to fly the Blue Ensign of the club. The warrant is at present held by nine members only. As stated in last year's report the yachts of club members will be measured and registered by the authorities at one half the regular fees. Forms of application for the warrants can be obtained from the hon. secretary and the hon. sailing secretary.

The usual races for the "Treasure Trophy" were held during the year and members are asked to do all they can to promote an interest in the race, not only amongst the shipping companies of the Colony but also amongst the general public.

Last year's report announced the launching of a new club cruiser under the name "Monsoon" to replace "Typhoon." "Monsoon" has been sold and a new boat of the same class is now on the slips to replace her. During the year our Commodore, Mr. E. W. Carpenter, retired after 31 years of untiring effort in the interests of the club and the general committee wish to place on record their keen appreciation of all he has done.

The club's thanks are also due to Mrs. Rouse, the hon. librarian, for her hard work in dealing with the literary side of the club's activities through yet another year.

Substantial Profit.

The Treasurer's report showed a profit of \$2,063.93 had been made during the year. General expenses had dropped by \$394 but maintenance of the clubhouse had increased by \$507. The reserve account now stands at

ship made it clear that he considered it a very light fine. He impressed on the accused that this leniency merely served as a warning on the present occasion, but that offenders in future cases would not be so fortunate.

No person, his Worship said, in this Colony could be forced to join any organization or guild such as theirs, however lawful that organization or guild might be, against his will; and no form of violence or force whatever was to be used. He hoped that the Chinese press would report the case so that it might serve as a general warning and guidance in guild circles.

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Opening on November 16 on the 8th floor of the Gloucester Building, a Radio and Refrigerator Exhibition, sponsored by the leading retailers of Hongkong, is sure to prove of interest to many of the Hongkong public. The exhibition is to last two days, and already a dozen of the largest firms in the Colony have signified their willingness to participate.

The Hongkong Broadcasting Committee has promised to co-operate with the Exhibition by providing a continuous programme on both days from 11 a.m. to 7.30 p.m., and announcements will be made from the studio from time to time during the exhibition.

In order that each firm shall be able to demonstrate their apparatus, times have been allotted for each stand. At night demonstrations of short wave reception will be given.

The following firms have signified their intention of exhibiting apparatus at the Exhibition:

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The Hon. Secretary of the Exhibition is Mr. G. F. Gilbert.

The Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders of Hongkong advertise that the dance that was to be held in the Institution on the 28 inst. has been cancelled.

\$63,536, an increase of \$1,937 on last year's figure.

The chairman moved the adoption of the reports and balance sheet. Mr. J. Bentley, who seconded, congratulated the committee on the excellent results of the year's work.

The chairman said this was the first time in the history of the club that a profit of more than three figures had been shown in the balance sheet. In other years there had been losses which had been written off by the benefactions of Commodores. He regarded the satisfactory state of affairs as a happy augury for the future of the club, which he felt sure would go from strength to strength.

Mr. Rouse dealt with each section of the club's activities and declared that remarkable progress had been made in each.

In answer to a question, the chairman said it was not anticipated that the club would be called upon to move for two years.

Election of Officers.

The following officers and committees were elected for the ensuing year—Commodore, Mr. A. L. Shields; vice-commodore, Mr. H. S. Rouse; rear-commodore, Mr. G. G. Wood; joint hon. secretaries, Messrs. R. J. Vernal and M. I. de Ville; treasurers, Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews; hon. librarian, Mrs. H. S. Rouse; sailing committee, Commodore Rouse, Major Lockyer, Major Stewart, Messrs. V. Goulburn, B. Naess, C. F. Hyde and G. H. Gander; rowing committee, Messrs. G. T. May, G. S. Stopani-Thompson, Duley, Easterbrook, Schmidt and Andrews; House committee, Messrs. G. T. Baggett, E. S. Carter and E. E. Maughan; Bowls committee, Messrs. J. Bentley, Macfarlane and A. Murdoch.

Appreciation of the services of the late Commodore, Mr. Carpenter, were placed on record. Votes of thanks were carried to the auditors, press and chairman.

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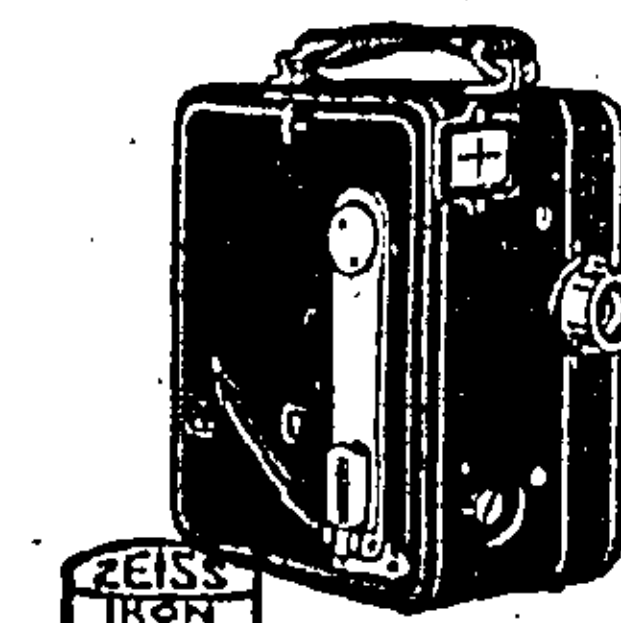
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catch and she had also made it evident that she was going to ride the roan. Her pride ruled over her better judgment which told her that she had not been in a saddle for several years except to enter along a bridge path and that she had her rope on a spirited horse who could and would buck. For a second she hesitated, then her eyes twinkled and her full lips parted. With a devastating smile she faced the cowboy.

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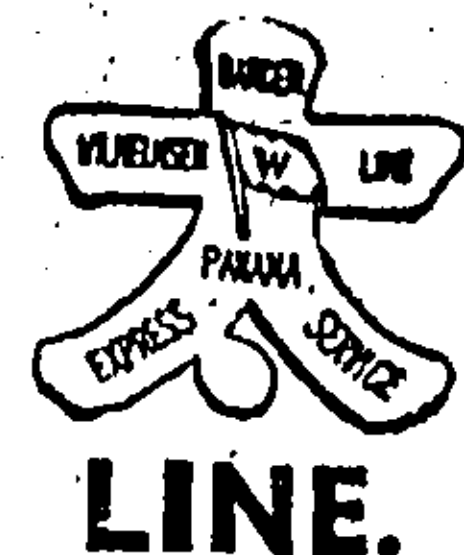
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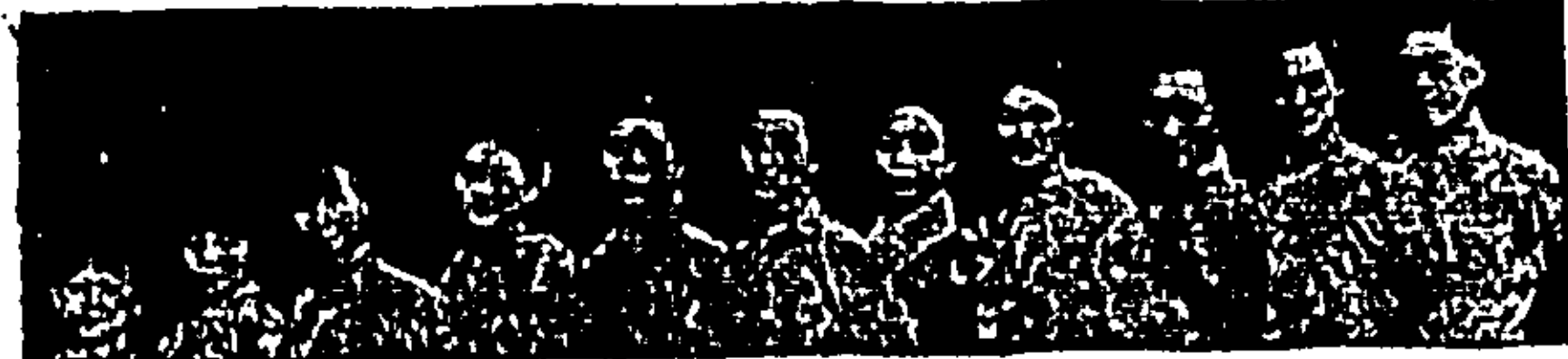
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There was not enough water for mixing the mortar, so the vine-grower, for whom the house was being built, and whose cellars were full of unsold and unsaleable wine, mastered the situation by putting a few casks of wine at the mason's disposal in substitution for water. Thus for the first time a Hungarian house has been built with wine.

Tariff walls, trade barriers, import restrictions have brought about this fate for the renowned Hungarian wine. The famous Tokay lacks a remunerative market. The best vintages are sold in Hungary at absurdly low wholesale prices, varying from two to four shillings a gallon.

As a means of alleviating the condition of the many unemployed vineyard workers vintage festivals were held from October 16 to October 23.

LADY INVERCLYDE

AN ACTION FOR LIBEL

Lady Inverclyde ("June") has instituted an action for damages for libel against Odham's Press Limited (the proprietors of "John Bull"), and their dramatic critic, Mr. Hannen Swaffer, consequent upon the recent publication in "John Bull" of an article entitled "Hannen Swaffer's Open Letter to June".

Lady Inverclyde's solicitors, Messrs. Michael Abrahams, Sons and Company have retained Sir Patrick Hastings, K.C. and Mr. Wilfred Lewis as counsel in the case.

FARMERS SCARE HOOVER

Rumblings of Political Earthquake

New York, Sept. 22.

Governor Roosevelt's tour through the North-Western States in furtherance of his Democratic candidature for the Presidency is making so deep an impression on the distressed agricultural population that President Hoover announced to-day that he would himself go to Des Moines, Iowa, which is in the heart of the farm belt, to make a direct appeal to voters for re-election.

This is the first time in 16 years that any President has gone on an election "stump," but warnings of a revolution in sentiment throughout the country have forced Mr. Hoover to abandon traditions and make a fight for his political life.

War on Tariffs.

The farming States are normally strongholds of the Republican Party, but reports are pouring into Washington that Mr. Hoover is in danger of losing them all.

Discontent due to the collapse in prices and to the crippling effect of tariffs is expected to produce a political earthquake.

Washington learned with astonishment that in a strong Republican city like Seattle 75,000 persons turned out to cheer Mr. Roosevelt as he passed through it last night.

Great enthusiasm was elicited by his promise to break down tariff walls and to replace them by negotiated agreements with other countries.

Farm Strike Spread.

Two million farmers in 11 Middle Western States who are in distress through the fall in prices have been asked by the National Farmers' Holiday Association to follow the example of their neighbors in Iowa by withholding grain and livestock from the market until the produce can be sold profitably. The farmers' strike is also spreading through Minnesota and North Dakota, and is hailed by the Holiday Association as the biggest success in agricultural history. Some alarm is felt lest the angry farmers succeed in blockading urban communities.

"LAUGHING TORSO"

INJUNCTION AGAINST FURTHER PUBLICATION.

Mr. Justice Lawrence, in the Vacation Court recently, had before him a motion for an interim injunction to restrain the further publication of a book entitled "Laughing Torso," by Nina Hammett, published by Messrs. Constable and Company, and printed by Messrs. Charles Whittingham and Griggs.

The motion was supported by Mr. C. Gallop, on behalf of Mr. Edward Alexander Crowley, living at Albemarle Court, Piccadilly an author, the plaintiff in the action.

Mr. Gallop stated that the book, "Laughing Torso," was the work of Miss Nina Hammett, who was a defendant to the action. The other defendants were the publishers and printers. Mr. Crowley was an author who wrote under the style of Aleister Crowley, and he complained of passages in the book, in which, he stated, there was no word of truth.

Mr. Upjohn, for the publishers and printers, stated that he was willing to give an undertaking not to continue publication until further order.

Mr. Martin O'Connor, for Miss Hammett, asked that the motion might stand over for a week, as it was desired to consider the matter. His Lordship stated that on the undertaking given the matter would stand over until October.

Until the produce can be sold profitably. The farmers' strike is also spreading through Minnesota and North Dakota, and is hailed by the Holiday Association as the biggest success in agricultural history. Some alarm is felt lest the angry farmers succeed in blockading urban communities.

This revolt of the farmers is likely to have some remarkable political consequences, and it has led Mr. Hoover's friends to concentrate most of their attention on the industrial East, to offset, if possible, the crushing disaster that looms in the West.

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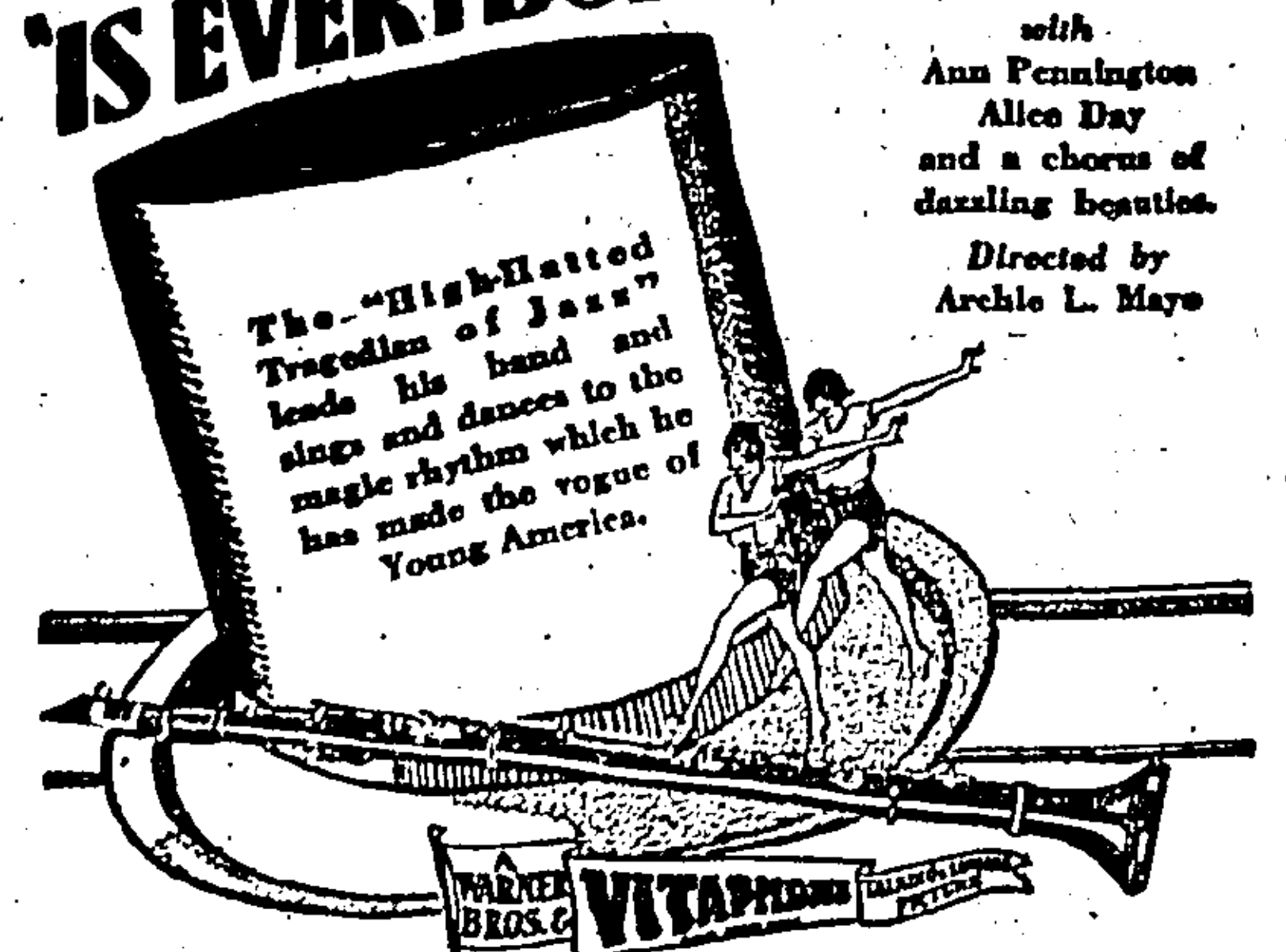
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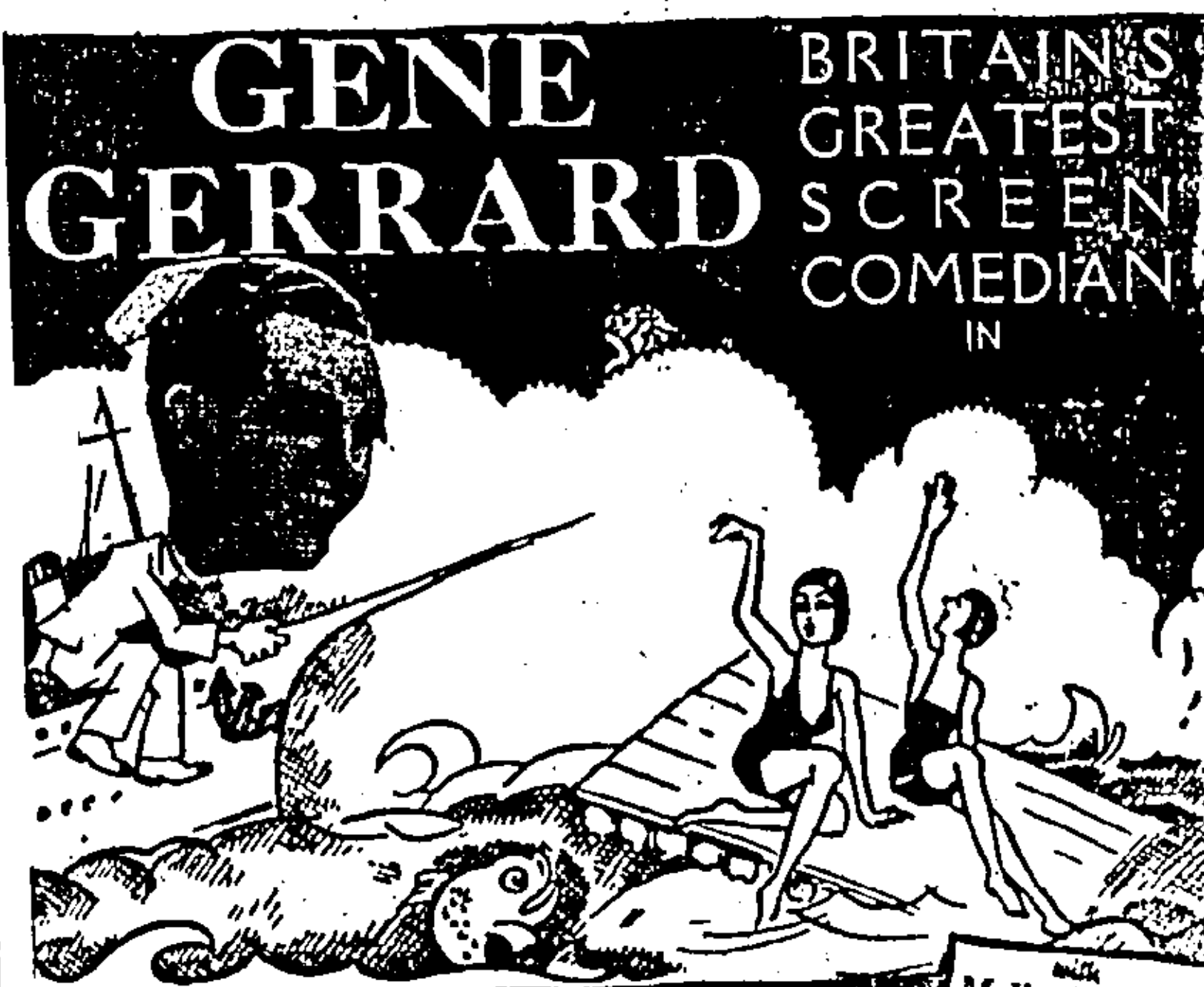
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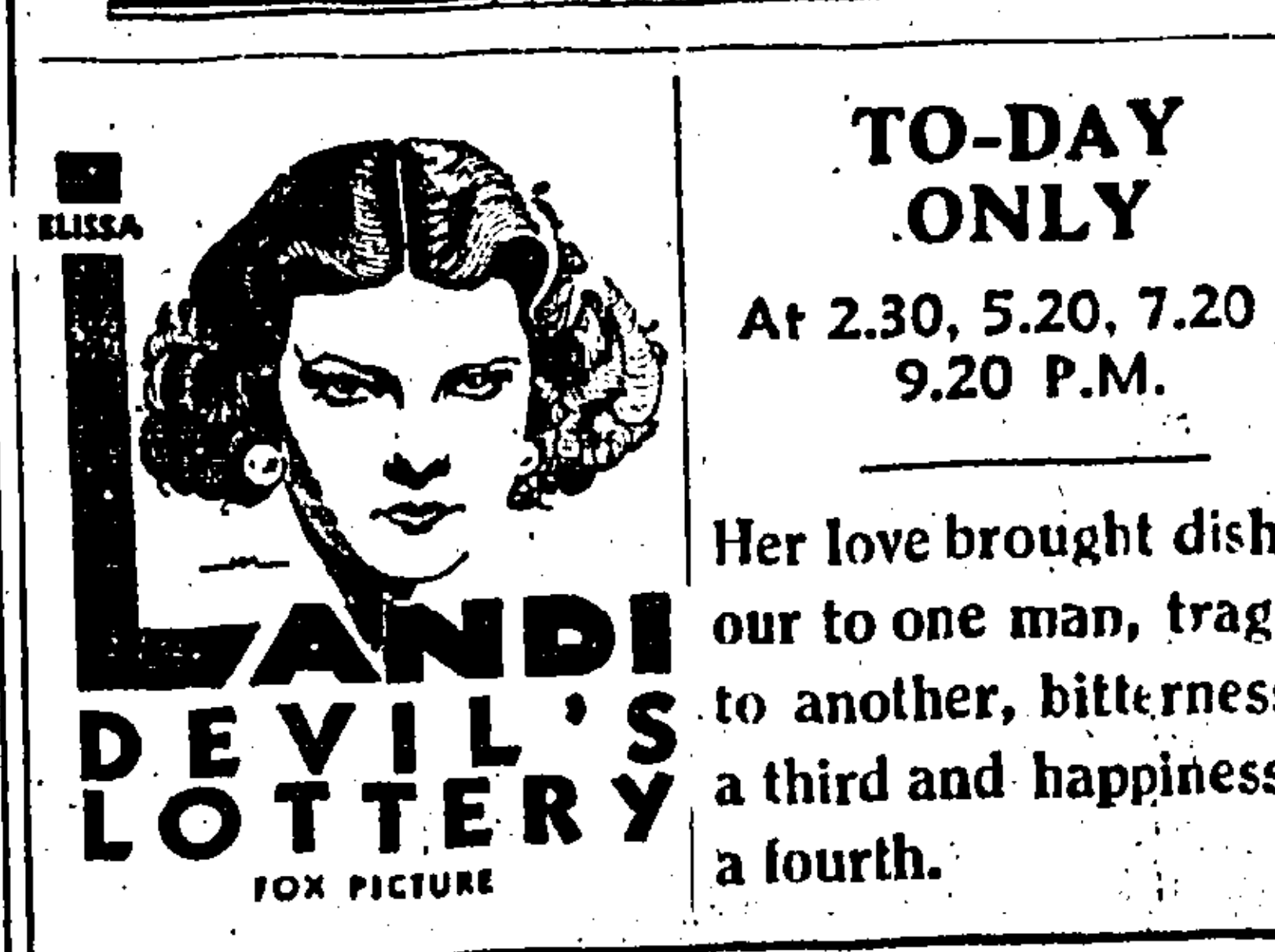
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UNEMPLOYED DISORDERS NEAR HYDE PARK

Hostile Crowds Face Police in the Vicinity of Marble Arch

"HUNGER" MARCH ON LONDON

GREETED BY ENORMOUS CROWDS

RIOTS AS SEQUEL

LONDON, OCT. 27.
DISTURBANCES BROKE OUT IN THE WEST END OF LONDON IN THE VICINITY OF THE MARBLE ARCH THIS AFTERNOON, MARKING THE ARRIVAL OF SOME TWO THOUSAND UNEMPLOYED HUNGER MARCHERS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

Scenes of disorder were many, but on the whole they did not develop gravely, although the police were compelled to make a number of arrests. Shop-windows were broken in Oxford Street and Edgware Road, while a huge crowd assumed a very hostile attitude to the police, compelling a mounted charge.

The hunger marchers themselves were not involved in the disorders. Left-wing members of the House of Commons urged the Speaker to permit an immediate debate on the grievances of the unemployed marchers, the Speaker pointing out that it was for the House to decide.

MARCHERS INNOCENT OF DISORDER

The riots were the consequence of the demonstration of the hunger marchers, even while none of their number took an active part.

The principal scene of disorder was the junction of Oxford Street and Edgware Road, where rowdies came into conflict with the police, gathered their forces and began to smash windows.

HOSTILE CROWD.

A huge crowd collected and assumed a very hostile attitude to the police when an arrest was made. The situation looked extremely ugly for the moment, but mounted policemen charged and dispersed the crowd.

Mounted officers were also kept very busy dealing with minor disorders at other points, bearing the appearance of organised outbreaks. The mobs were swiftly broken up, however, and order restored without really serious incident. Three further arrests were made as a result of these disturbances.

MASS MEETING.

The parties of unemployed, together numbering over 2,000 with others still yet to come, have been marching upon London from different parts of England with a view to a demonstration against the operation of the Means Test and the Government's economy cuts as a whole.

They held a mass meeting to-day in Hyde Park, with the permission of the Commissioner of Police.

They were given food and accommodation in the boroughs on the outskirts of London yesterday and to-day their processions were led by the police through London's thoroughfare and the different parties met for the first time at the mass meeting, in which thousands of other people joined.

Such a large crowd awaited their arrival that the police actually had to force a way through the medley to enable them to reach the place appointed for the mass meeting. There many speakers, mounted on carts, addressed the crowd.

HUNGER MARCHERS ORDERLY.

In the main, the proceedings were orderly and good-tempered, the police having no difficulty with the hunger marchers themselves.

The disturbances occurred outside the Park. The first sign

of trouble was the collection of a group of unruly elements who started throwing stones. The police drew their batons and cleared the streets. Half a dozen police and demonstrators received minor injuries and several onlookers were hurt through the pressure of the crowds.

After their meeting, the main body of the marchers left Hyde Park in an orderly fashion. It is emphasised that while disturbances were going on outside, they remained listening to the speakers and took no part in the disorders outside the Park.

COMMONS' DISCUSSION.

In the House of Commons the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. George Lansbury asked that time might be saved on the remaining stages of the Ottawa Agreements Bill so that unemployment might be discussed. The Prime Minister undertook that, if possible, this should be done.

Other Labour members requested leave to move the adjournment of the House to discuss this subject in view of the arrival of the unemployed demonstrators in London.

The speaker said he was unable to accept the motion as the Government had promised to bring in a Bill dealing with the Means Test which dealt with the unemployment problem.

He advised the Labour members that the correct course was the presentation of a petition to the Commons asking permission for a deputation of the unemployed marchers to appear at the bar of the House to present their case. This advice is being followed and the petition will be presented early next week.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

ADMIRAL'S NEW POST

SIR WM. FISHER TO MALTA

LONDON, OCT. 27.
Vice-Admiral Sir William Fisher left London to-day for Malta, where he will take over as Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet. Sir William has commanded the 1st Battle Squadron and been



Demonstrators who recently came into conflict with the police at Marble Arch being marched off.

ULTIMATUM TO CAROL

EX-QUEEN HELEN'S DEMANDS

MAY TAKE LEGAL ACTION

Bucharest, Oct. 27.

The exiled ex-Queen, Princess Helen has lodged a demand with King Carol for a twenty per cent. increase in her annual allowance, permission to spend six months every year with his son, Crown Prince Michael, and the maintenance of a palace for her use.

It is said that Princess Helen has informed Carol that if these demands are not granted, she will attempt to secure them by legal action.

The belief is entertained that Princess Helen's demands are the



Princess Helen (left) and King Carol.

sequel to the sudden recall of Prince Michael from England where he was paying a visit to his mother.

King Carol's action caused greater surprise in view of reports that he originally intended to put the Crown Prince to school in England for a while. It is thought that Carol took exception to British newspaper features regarding the reunion of Princess Helen and her son.—*Reuter.*

SIR W. LAYTON'S SUCCESSOR

MR. PHILLIPS OF THE TREASURY

LONDON, OCT. 27.
Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, the British delegate on the Preparatory Committee for the forthcoming World Economic Conference, is to be joined by Mr. F. Phillips, C.B., his Treasury colleague.

The appointment has been made by the Prime Minister in consequence of the resignation of Sir Walter Layton. Mr. Phillips is a Permanent Under-Secretary in the Treasury Department, officiating as Deputy Controller of the Finance and Supply Services Department.—*Reuter.*

Second in Command of the Mediterranean Fleet since 1930. He has had a distinguished career, and during the Great War was present at the Battle of Jutland, being in command of H. M. S. St. Vincent.—*British Wireless.*

MANCHULI MUTINY

JAPANESE JOURNAL'S ALLEGATIONS

SOVIET BACKING OF UPRISING

Harbin, Oct. 28.

Soviet collaboration in the recent mutiny of Manchukuo forces in Northern Manchuria, which resulted in the seizure of control of a huge area from the Manchukuo authorities, including Manchuli and Hailar, is again alleged in the Japanese-owned *Harbin Times*.

The newspaper alleges that the mutiny at Manchuli, popular military restaurants were opened up in the city by Chinese immigrants from Russia.

When the mutiny occurred, these immigrants, with several machine-guns for the mutineers, having clearly undergone intensive training.

SOVIET SLOGANS.

The paper also alleges that the political department attached to the headquarters of the mutineers, is now placarding the occupied territory with slogans such as "Away with Capitalists."

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GERMAN C-IN-C. IN BOLIVIA

BUT PEACE EFFORTS PROMISE WELL

(Our Own Correspondent).

LONDON, OCT. 27.
The Bolivian Government has appointed a German General as commander-in-chief of the Bolivian forces in the Gran Chaco war zone.

The defences along the front are being considerably strengthened.

At the same time comes a report that the struggle between Bolivia and Paraguay in the Gran Chaco is expected to cease, both having agreed to the 'neutrals' proposal for a truce pending arbitration.

LABOUR MOTION REJECTED

SECOND READING FOR OTTAWA BILL

LONDON, OCT. 27.
The House of Commons to-night rejected a Labour motion for the ratification of the Ottawa Agreements Bill.

The Bill was subsequently given a second reading by 423 votes to 77.—*Reuter.*

DISCORD RUMOURS

HINDENBURG AND VON PAPEN

NO FOUNDATION FOR REPORTS

(Our Own Correspondent).

Berlin, Oct. 27.

President Hindenburg has authorised the publication of a statement that the Chancellor, Herr von Papen, now, as before, enjoys his full confidence.

This pronouncement has been issued in order to counteract rumours to the effect that the President is dissatisfied with von Papen on account of the decision of the Supreme Court at Leipzig in the Prussian Constitutional question.

In effect, the decision established two governments in Prussia.

The Court held that President Hindenburg did not infringe the constitution in appointing Herr von Papen as State Commissioner and authorising him to depose the Prussian Ministers, but at the same time, found that the State Commissioner was not entitled to deprive the men deposited of their right to represent Prussia in the Diet.

HUE-AND-CRY FOR SNATCHER

CAUGHT AFTER LONG CHASE

Mrs. P. Haugland was the victim of a snatch thief in Queen's Road Central near Aberdeen Street yesterday at noon when she was robbed of her hand bag whilst she was at a watchmaker's.

The man was chased by Chinese detective who arrived on the scene in response to shouts from Mrs. Haugland and arrested in Queen's Road, after he had run up Aberdeen Street, into Wellington Street and then back to Queen's Road.

COOLIE WITH HEROIN PILLS

GIVEN BENEFIT OF DOUBT

In accepting the plea of a street coolie that he was given a parcel to carry by the owner, Mr. Schofield, at the Central Police Court this morning, discharged the man when accused of being in possession of 3,960 heroin pills.

The man was arrested in Connaught Road carrying the pills in a vapor parcel, but he claimed that he had been engaged as a street coolie to carry them to a tea house.

His Worship gave defendant the benefit of the doubt and in discharging him cautioned him against accepting such small parcels in future.

BOOKSTORE WRECKED

ASTONISHING SCENE IN SHANGHAI

INSULT AVENGED BY MOSLEMS

MAGAZINE ARTICLE SEQUEL

(Special to "Telegraph.")

Shanghai, Oct. 28.

An astonishing scene of wreckage and disorder in one of the leading bookstores in the International Settlement presented itself after the visit this morning of a party of Chinese Moslems.

The gang was approximately thirty in number. They entered the premises quite quietly, the attendants being unaware of impending trouble until they suddenly drew out iron bars from the sleeves of their long coats and entered upon the campaign of destruction.

The shop was soon completely wrecked, the loss being extremely heavy. The attackers got clear away before the alarm was raised.

MOSLEM ANCESTRY.

An article in a magazine which is printed by the bookstore is believed to supply the reason for the outrage. The article was of a political nature, but it traced back the ancestry of the Moslems to the pig family!

Naturally, the publication caused infatuation among the Moslem community and to-day's episode was planned in consequence.—*Reuter.*

CHINA CONDITIONS OUTLINED

STATEMENT MADE IN COMMONS

LONDON, OCT. 27.

In a statement on the general conditions in China, the Foreign Under Secretary, Capt. Anthony Eden, in the House of Commons to-day, said reports had been received of hostilities in Szechuan and Szechuan. In Szechuan, Chinese had changed hands, having been occupied without disturbance by the forces of General Han Fu-chu, Chairman of the Provincial Government. Fighting continued, but no danger to British life or property was apprehended.

Some improvement appeared to have been effected in the Communist situation in Central and South China during the past few months, and military operations had succeeded in driving Communist forces to a distance from Hankow and in pursuing clearing the Hankow Valley.

Normal conditions had not yet been restored along the Peking-Hankow Railway.—*British Wireless.*

U.S. DELEGATE TO GENEVA

FAREWELL TALK WITH PREMIER

LONDON, OCT. 27.
Prior to his departure for Geneva, Mr. Norman Davis, chief United States delegate to the Disarmament Conference, paid a farewell visit to the Prime Minister at the House of Commons this afternoon, when, it is understood, a further conversation was held on the disarmament question.—*British Wireless.*

JEHOL INVASION BELIEVED TO BE IMMINENT

AERIAL ATTACK ON KAILU

JAPANESE MASS FORCES

(Special to "Telegraph.")

Peking, Oct. 28.

The Japanese invasion of Jehol is imminent according to a delayed telegram from General Tang Yu-lin, the Governor of the Province, who announces that as the prelude to an impending attack, aerial bombardments have already begun.

Five aeroplanes visited the city of Kailu and dropped twenty bombs, killing a Chinese army officer and five horses or mules.

Tang Yu-lin further gives details of the massing of a powerful pro-Japanese force on the Jehol boundaries, stating that the Japanese are now concentrating sixty thousand Mongol soldiers and a division of Japanese troops at Tungliao.

There are fifteen Japanese aeroplanes at Tungliao which presumably will be employed in co-operation with the attack against Jehol from the land.—*Reuter.*

RATIONALISATION IN COTTON INDUSTRY

SCHEME TO CUT DOWN OVERHEAD

SPECIAL AGENTS IN INDIA

London, Oct. 28.

As the outcome of a suggestion made by the Maharajah of Nawanagar ("Ranji") prior to the Ottawa Conference, an important meeting of cotton interests is being held at Manchester on Monday.

The meeting will consider a scheme to restore and increase Lancashire trade in piece-goods with India.

It is contended that Lancashire must copy the policy of the Indian and Japanese mills and finance such business as is passing between Britain and India through the ship-owners allied to the proposed Anglo-Indo Corporation, with limited capital.

The general idea is that Lancashire should have its own agents in India, acting in unity with the Indians who distribute the manufactured goods direct to the Indian customer, thus eliminating the heavy overhead distribution charges which are at present met by the Lancashire cost to the Indian consumer.—*Reuter.*

"AUSSIE" ATTACK MASTERED

M.C.C. ADD FURTHER EIGHTY RUNS

Perth, Oct. 28.

The mastery established by the M.C.C. over the Australian Combined Team's attack was maintained this morning, when the total was carried from 359 for 3 wickets to 439 for 4, an addition of eighty runs for one wicket before lunch.—*Reuter.*

WAR LOAN SLIGHTLY UP

London, Oct. 27.

When the Stock Markets closed to-day, leading British stocks showed a slight change on 1/10th, with War Loan Assented up 1/10th.—*British Wireless.*

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

At a bridge tournament you may often hear a pair remark, "Well, we were in the right spot on that hand." Arriving at the correct declaration, and putting in a bid that will throw the opposition off the right track, is the favourite pastime of Mrs. Dorothy Rice Sims. Mrs. Sims was one of three women to participate in the Individual Masters' event this year. While her reputation has been gained with psychic bidding, it by no means is the foundation of her game. She received top score on her bidding of the following hand.

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| ♠ 9 | ♥ K-7-2 | ♦ K-8-6-5 | ♣ A-Q-10-8-2 |
| ♠ 10-6-3-2 | ♥ 10-9-5 | ♦ A-Q | ♣ 10-2 |
| ♠ K-5 | ♥ A-K-J-7-4 | ♦ A-8-4-3 | ♣ 7-4 |
| | ♠ 9-7 | | |

The Bidding.

Mrs. Sims held the North cards. South opened the bidding with one spade. West passed. Many players would now overcall with two clubs, but what is the real advantage in North's hand? It is in having the hand led up to rather than through. Mrs. Sims realized that with her holding there was not a probable game in clubs; therefore, rather than disclose this club holding, she bid two no trump. East passed, and South, who did not feel that his hand was suited for no trump, due to the doubleton club and the doubleton diamond, bid three spades, as his partner's overcall of two no trump did not necessarily deny no spades. Mrs. Sims again refused to disclose her trump holding and decided to try for game at no trump, and therefore bid three no trump, which became the final contract.

The Play.

East had the opening lead. Without a club bid by North, he has no reason for not wishing to open his fourth best club, so the three of clubs was led. It was now an easy matter for Mrs. Sims to make four no trump, which was the best score made on the board. If she had bid her clubs and then later gone to no trump, East might have opened a diamond and then the North and South could do on the hand would be three no trump—and that would require two finesses.

PRINCESS ILL.

INFANTA BEATRIZ OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

London, Oct. 27. A report from Fontainebleau states that the Infanta Beatriz, the older daughter of Ex-King Alfonso of Spain, has been operated on for appendicitis. She is progressing well.—Our Own Correspondent.

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COUNCIL MEETING

FIRST READING OF BILL ON COMPANY LAW

At the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday afternoon, the Attorney General, moving the second reading of "A Bill to secure an increased trade between the Colony and other parts of the British Empire," said:

This Bill and the Resolution relating to a preference on Empire brands which was passed last week represent the contribution the Colony has been asked to make to the success of the Ottawa Conference. It is understood that the various Dominion Agreements concluded at that Conference contain clauses excluding from preferences Colonies which (not being precluded by International Conventions) either accord no preferences, or accord to some other part of the Empire preferences not accorded to the contracting Dominion.

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and the Bill passed through its final stages.

Other Bills which passed their final stages were "A Bill to amend the Supreme Court (Admiralty Procedure) Ordinance, 1896" and "A Bill to amend Marriage Ordinance, 1876."

Company Law.

Moving the first reading of "A Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Companies," the Attorney General said:

Sir,—I rise to move the first reading of a Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Companies which has been prepared with a view to bringing the Company law of the Colony into line with that prevailing in England.

This is in accordance with precedent. There have been three great consolidations of the Company law in England in 1862, 1908 and 1929. The Acts of 1862 and 1908 were followed in 1865 and 1911 by Hong-kong Ordinances which corresponded generally with their provisions. As acting Attorney General nearly twenty-one years ago it fell to me to move the Third Reading of the latter Ordinance. The Act of 1929 repealed the Act of 1908 and the Acts amending it particularly the Act of 1928, and re-enacted their net result though not exactly in the same language or according to the same arrangement. The object of the Act of 1929 as stated in Lord Halsbury's edition of Halsbury was to present the whole body of the subject in a complete form. This Bill has a similar object. It follows the Act very closely; but, as stated in the Memorandum of Objects and Reasons on page 187 it has been necessary to incorporate special local provisions taken from the existing Ordinances.

The introduction of this Ordinance will necessitate considerable study by auditors and company secretaries and directors. But, speaking generally, any one of such persons who is provided with a text book on the Act of 1929 should have little difficulty in ascertaining his duties under this Ordinance which, under section 357 on page 140 of the print, will not come into force until the 1st July next year. I now move the first reading.

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and the motion was carried.

MANCHURIA REVENUE.

NO MONEY BEING SENT TO SHANGHAI

Nanking, Oct. 27.

Mr. T. V. Soong, on being shown a statement made by Sir John Simon in the House of Commons that the Manchukuo Government had remitted certain sums to Shanghai for the Foreign Loan service, stated categorically that none of the revenue collected in Manchukuo since the seizure of the Customs had been remitted to the Inspector General of Customs, directly or indirectly.—Reuter's Special.

DIVORCE LAW DEFENDED

ATTORNEY GENERAL REPLIES TO MR. BRAGA

The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga found no support in his opposition to the Divorce Bill at the Legislature Council yesterday.

Hon. Mr. P. Macdonald: I don't think a very great deal of the Bill myself, to be quite candid, but from different motives from those my honourable friend has just revealed. I feel, as one of the newspapers in an editorial has stated, the Bill merely perpetuates all the abuses of the Divorce system in England. I think it does not go nearly far enough, but under the circumstances it is probably all we are going to get and therefore I am quite prepared to accept it.

I have listened very patiently and with a great deal of interest to what my honourable friend has said, and I have been unable to understand the meaning of it. His arguments illustrate the enormous difference there is between the Churches and the ordinary lay thought of to-day. It is perhaps unfortunate, but I cannot for the life of me see how anyone making an unfortunate contract cannot get out of it.

Government Replies.

The Attorney General:—Sir,—The first honourable member to address the Council has done so at considerable length without really dealing with any of the four points mentioned in my speech on the first reading and which I will now enumerate, restate and slightly elaborate.

Firstly a Bill to deal with divorce has been suggested to us by two successive Secretaries of State who must be presumed to be aware that, until implemented by an Order in Council under the Indian and Colonial Divorce Jurisdiction Act, 1925, it will affect very few persons.

Secondly, an Alastair in Hong-kong for persons domiciled here has become an anomaly, owing to the development by Civil Jurisdiction throughout the world of means of giving relief from Christian marriage, regarded as a civil contract. It is only with marriage so regarded that the Bill deals. The honourable member has pointed out that the definition of Christian marriage or its civil equivalent recognises the status as that of a voluntary union for life of one man and one woman to the exclusion of all others. Whilst stressing the words "for life" the honourable member has missed the point that the definition cannot be split into its component parts, but must be taken as a whole and that the introduction of "others" into the exclusive union of two destroys the fundamental civil conception of that union. With the religious conception of indissolubility of the union we are not concerned.

Straits Law Followed.

Thirdly,—In its essentials the Bill follows a Straits Settlements precedent which is open to every one of the objections, if objections they be, which have been stressed by the honourable member. Yet the Straits Bill, which went further and required, what this Bill does not require, that petitioners should profess the Christian religion, has been approved and implemented by Order in Council under the Act of 1926. Lastly,—This will not come into force until His Majesty's pleasure is known.

With regard to the remarks of the honourable member who so cordially addressed the Council, I think that it is all we are likely to get and that any attempt on behalf of this Council to move in advance of the legislative thought in England will not result in the Ordinances being allowed. I move the second reading.

Mr. Braga: May I be allowed to say a few words in reply?

The Chairman: No. The Bill was then read a second time, taken through committee without amendment, was read a third time, and passed.

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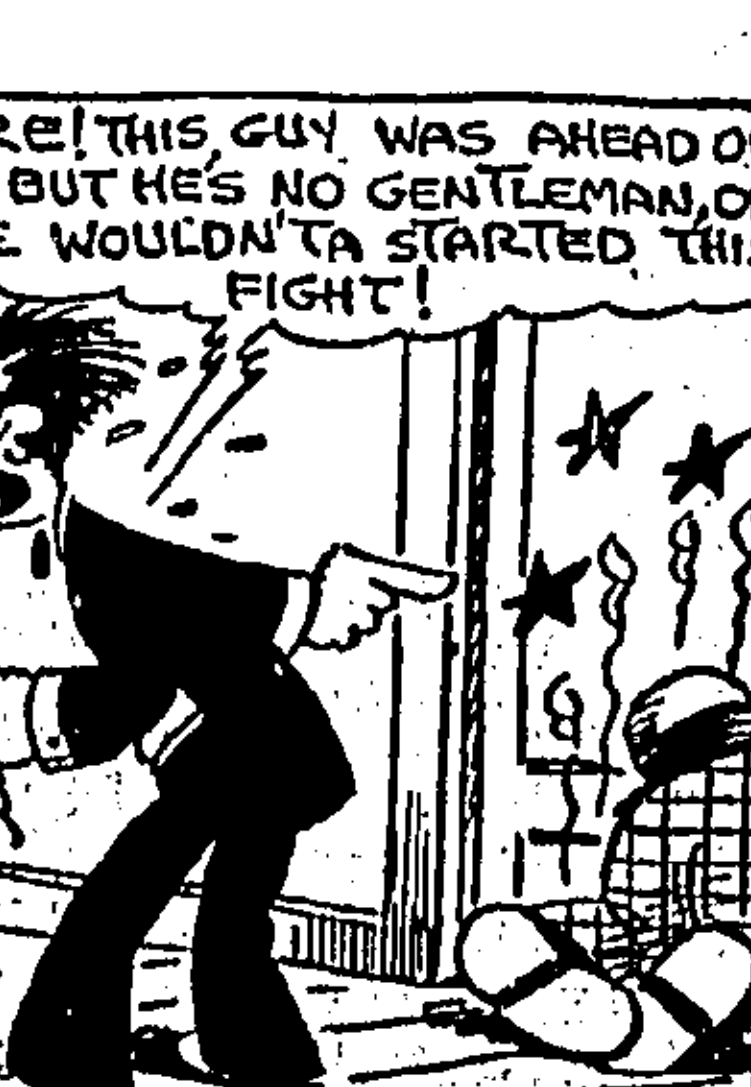
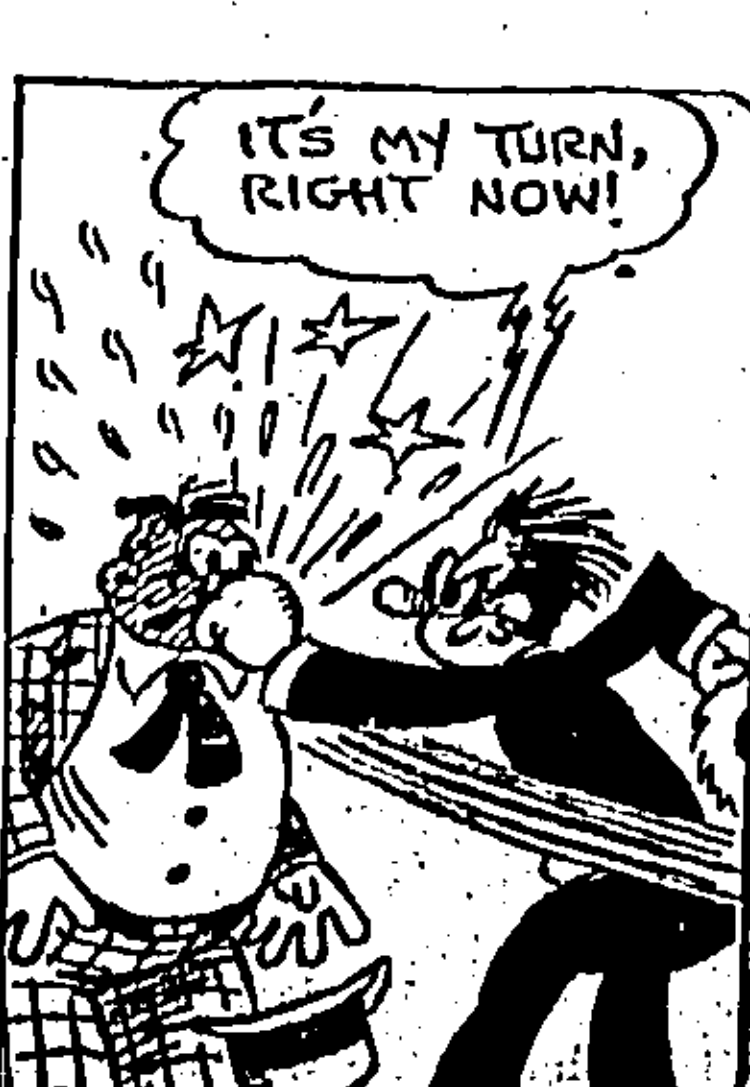
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Stan Ball, an agent for cattle interests, faces Asper Dele in his office in the city. Asper is accused by the cattle men of luring on their range with his timber-cutting. Ball accuses Dele of crooked work at his Three Rivers camp. He accuses Dele of having men shot who try to check up on him. Ball says he is going up to make a check himself. Dele retorts that he will personally see that Ball does not.

Standing before the office building Stan Ball sees kidnappers also a girl into a car. He catches the car and saves Dona Dele, Asper's daughter. When he learns who she is he slips away after telling her he is Stanley Black.

Dudley Winters, in love with Dona, agrees to get Asper Dele back off his wild trip to Three Rivers if she will marry him. She gives him some encouragement.

Dona goes with Dudley. They stop at Beth Doby's place. Doby refuses to help Dona but says Asper has been there and that he was ready for a killing.

Dudley puts a plan into Dona's head. She is to marry him at Doby's place. Asper can hardly go on with a manhunt under those circumstances. Reluctantly, Dona agrees. Dudley has a license, obtained the night before. While he is seeking a man who can marry them Stan Ball, who is on his way to Three Rivers, steps out of the night and kisses Dona.

Dona says she cannot go through with the marriage and puts Dudley off. They go on to Three Rivers.

They meet Swergin, Asper's timber boss. He says he intends to shoot Ball himself, that Ball has shot a ranger.

CHAPTER VII.

Dona spent a restless first night at Three Rivers. She sat up waiting for her father until midnight but he did not return. Old Asper was back in his element again. He had reverted to the fighting lumberjack who had once been the fear and dread of the high country. Stan Ball's taunting words had worked the change. He was staging a man hunt, and roughing it was a mere incidental. With sleeping bag and rifle he spent the night in the woods. Dona guessed as much and retired at midnight.

In the morning Dudley was up early and had made a round of the timber camp before Dona came from her room. She found him in Swergin's office, which Asper had made his during his stay in camp. Dudley was sitting on her father's desk, drumming his heels against the oak boards when she entered. She crossed swiftly to Asper's side.

"Dad!" she began reproachfully. Asper doffed his wide black hat and there was a guilty look on his face as he raised his cheek for her welcome kiss. She looked tired but there was a tight line of determination at the corners of her red lips.

"Now D., he began gruffly. "You make up your mind to pack and head back home right after breakfast. This is bad business."

Dona smiled in spite of her determined manner. "You'd think I was a butterfly instead of a girl brought up in the woods and on the range. You forget, Dad, that your sweet little girl was once 'Pig Tail' Dele who rode any horse on the place."

"I know, but you're a young woman now, refined with schooling."

Asper tried to say the thing he was thinking—that Dona was a beautiful girl who had burst into womanhood with the coming of her nineteenth summer and that she was no longer safe in such surroundings, especially with the man and behave yourself. No horse-

he hated hiding on the slopes of Folly Mountain, less than a six-hour ride from camp.

"You think your bad man might steal me?" Dona pulled his chin up and settled herself on her father's knee.

"If he could get his hands on you he would have me licked that's sure," Asper growled.

"Well, if you stay, I stay. That is settled," Dona looked unsmilingly into his eyes.

"Think I'm getting too old to have it out with a young skunk like Ball?" Asper lips clamped tight over his cigar and his words rumbled from between his lips. "You and Dudley are starting back at once."

Dona slid to the floor and faced her father. "I am staying here and I have a promise of a saddle and a little capturing myself."

Asper got to his feet and towered over her. There was fire in his eyes. "I ought to take a mill slab and spank you good. You're going home!" This time his mouth was open and his words fairly shook the light walls of the office.

"No use roaring, Dad. I'm staying," Dona's little chin was up and her eyes were dark.

Dudley stepped forward with a grin. "We're all three starting back in an hour." He slicked back his smooth hair as he spoke.

Asper Dele swung around heavily and his dead cigar tilted ceilingward. "Young man, you are going back. That is sure. If one of the horses did not kill you some one might shoot you by mistake."

The old lumberman's eyes travelled over Dudley Winters' western outfit, purchased that morning at the company store.

Dudley flushed but held his ground. "Mr. Dele, I came up here to see that you gave up this wild venture and returned with your daughter. Why in the devil does a big business man like you want to go out hunting for a mere cowboy?"

Before his mouth had closed Dudley knew he had said the wrong thing. Asper's great jaw thrust out and his cheek muscles knotted. "Get out of here! Get out of camp!" he fairly roared.

Dudley went but he halted at the door. "I am leaving your office but I'm not leaving camp." He shot the words out sharply. "I'm staying to take care of Dona."

"My daughter will be home tonight," Asper growled. The words hung themselves against a closed door. Dudley was outside.

"Now I'll have to detail a man to trail that young pup," Asper growled. He towered over Dona. "Young woman, are you going to obey me?" There was a glint of pride in his eyes.

"You are staying, so I'll stay too. You happen to be all the family I have," Dona replied simply.

Asper sat down. "Stay in camp roundings, especially with the man and behave yourself. No horse-

back riding and no wandering off. I don't suppose that kid who can't keep away from you would be worth his salt at watching you. He'd do as you said."

"Sure! I wouldn't have him around if he didn't," Dona smiled. "And now that everything is settled I'm going to have breakfast."

"You haven't promised to stay in camp," Asper reminded her.

Dona was at the door. "No, and I shan't." She slipped out, waving him a kiss as she went.

"Her old man over again," Asper muttered to his desk. But he was worried and determined to have a dependable man watch Dona and ride with her every place she went.

Dona found the Chinese cook in the mess kitchen eager to serve his white mistress. She saw nothing of Dudley and concluded that he was off negotiating for a horse and gun. As she walked out of the dining room she noticed a poster tacked on the door and stopped to read it. In large black letters the following legend thrust itself out at her:

REWARD FOR STAN BALL DEAD OR ALIVE \$500.00

The notice was signed, "Ginter Swergin, Deputy Sheriff." There was no picture of the desperado and no description. Dona lingered for several minutes before it. Some strange fascination held her. Finally she turned and swung down the street toward the corrals.

She found the man who had charge of the saddle horses and told him who she was. He was impressed but had evidently received orders from Asper regarding her riding. He pointed to a meek-looking animal.

"That's your horse, Ma'am," he said politely as he shook out his lariat.

Dona laughed until her rich alto woke the sleepy horse. "Drop a



In refusing to receive callers of any nationality, the Pope (shown in his most recent photo) is credited with another snub of Mussolini. The action is said to be based on the Pope's desire to avoid granting an audience to the famed Bersaglieri Corps.



People studying windows wrecked in the Liverpool riots recently in a night of hoodlums and street fighting.



Just about as ugly a mug as you'd care to meet down a dark alley, but a beauty in the eyes of the judges. "The Crovanspring" captured the best of breed (English bull) award for the 13th time at the Tuxedo Kennel Club Dog Show.



A remarkable innovation in Denmark, where in place of the usual military bands, the Army authorities are providing mechanized music. This is a development in mechanization which was least expected. A motor-gramophone is shown heading a battalion on the march.

MOONLIGHT, a picturesque mountain camp, a pretty girl and a dashing cowboy. With such romantic elements of course there's a love story in "Call of the West" by R. G. Montgomery. There's adventure and excitement too in this thrilling new serial.

rope on that roan," she ordered, pointing a dainty, gloved finger toward a long-legged saddler that was eyeing them with fiery disdain.

The cowboy shook his head. "That critter has already thrown the gentleman who came with you twice this morning. He fancies that brute, too!" There was a trace of a grin on the corral boss's face.

Dona swung one leg up on the top pole of the corral. Her riding breeches displayed her slim form and her slenderness made the cowboy step forward hurriedly.

"No woman could ride that fellow, Ma'am," he protested.

Dona smiled down at him. "Your rope please." When he did not hand it to her she bent low and caught it out of his astonished hands. Before he could stop her she was whirling it and advancing

upon the roan.

The big fellow was ropewise and ducked for a far corner. Dona advanced and her loop shot out. The roan snorted and tossed his head but the rope landed neatly and he was caught fast. He lunged and plunged but the rope tightened firmly and he decided that he was in the hands of an experienced rider. Planting his feet wide he settled back against the rope and waited for the saddle he knew was coming.

"Bring a saddle!" Dona called. The astonished cowboy leaped over the fence and dragged a heavy stock saddle from the fence. With a flip he swung it to his shoulder. "Better let me take some of the starch out of him," he called.

Dona knew that this was wise advice but she had made a perfect

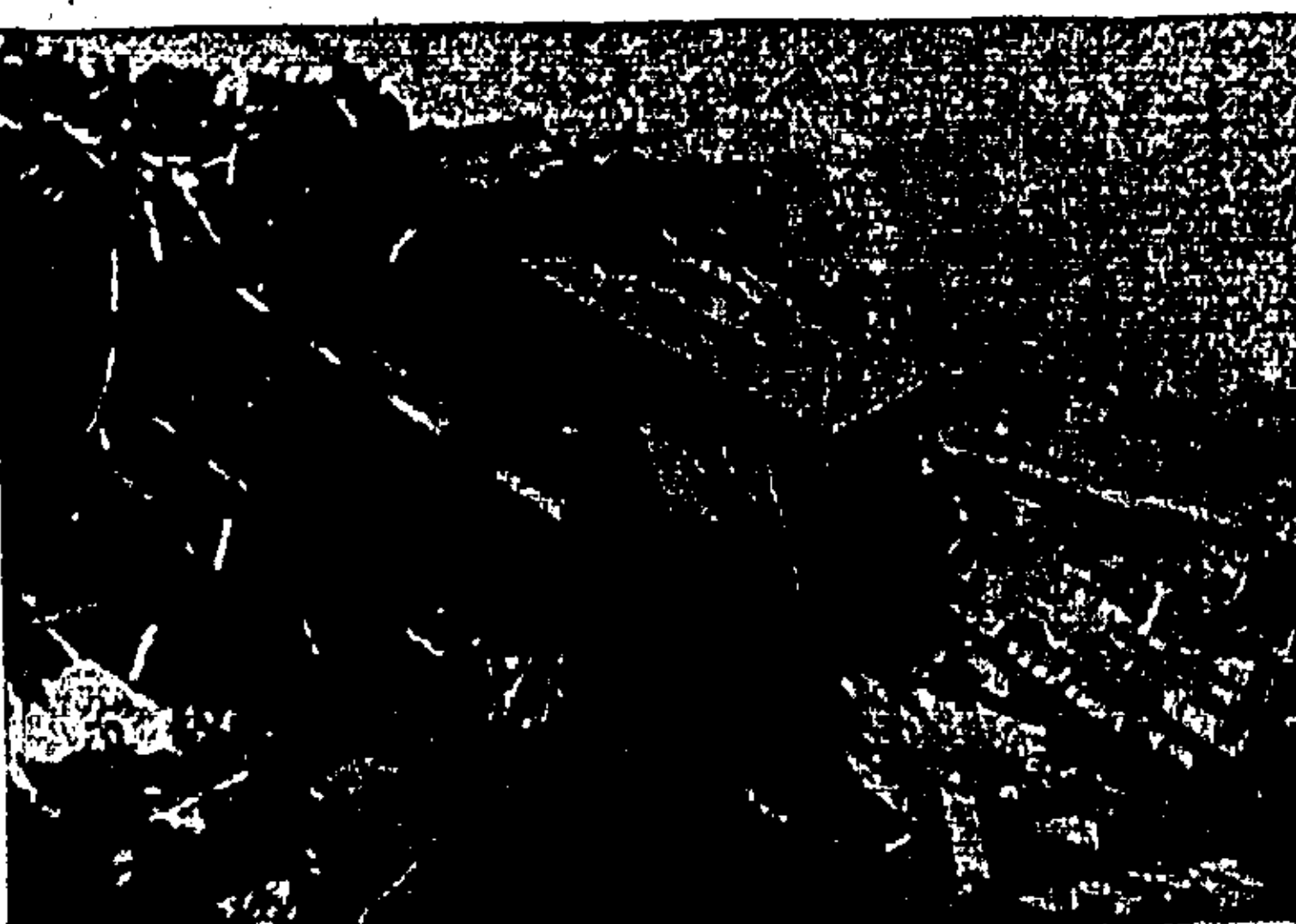
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Collapse of the People's Party Government, headed by F. T. Hamrin, has made Per Albin Hansson, leader of the Social Democratic Party, Sweden's new premier. He is shown at his desk with his daughter who acts as his secretary.



Germany was on the eve of a return to political turmoil when this picture was taken, showing the new "Iron Chancellor" von Papen, waving his hat to cheering throngs as he arrived at Tempelhof Aerodrome, Berlin, to review a gigantic demonstration by 100,000 members of the German "Steel Helmet" organization. Chancellor von Papen later stirred the country by issuing a decree dissolving the Reichstag.



The terrible nature of the smash in Algeria recently when a Foreign Legion train was derailed and crashed into a ravine is vividly shown above. Over a 120 were killed in the disaster.

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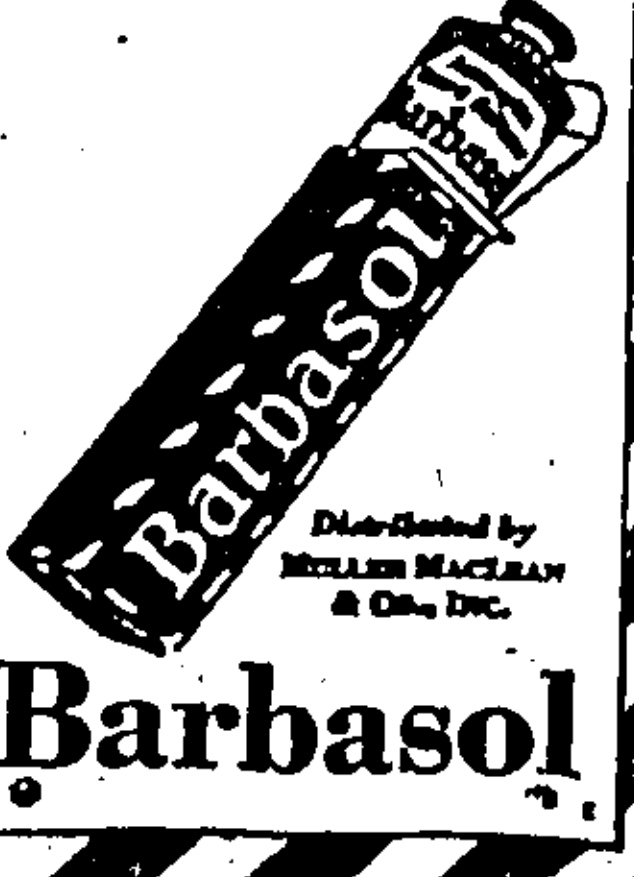
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It is requested that all Civil Associations and individuals, who wish to place wreaths on the Cenotaph at the conclusion of the Service on Armistice Day, will kindly inform the undersigned, in writing, before November 6th, so that accommodation may be arranged within the Police barrier.

E. D. C. WOLFE, Inspector General of Police. Hongkong, 27th October, 1932.

G. R. NOTICE.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1932, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Wei, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

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It is not necessary however, that their guests should fulfil these conditions.

Application for tickets, giving name and address, also names and addresses of guests, which must in all cases be accompanied by cash, should be made to:—

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CINEMA "SHOTS" AND "SEQUENCES"

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ANOTHER film we might make is the short, compact comedy—a welcome deliverance from the pie throwing, slapstick affairs with which we are still spoon-fed. There is no greater scope than in humorous films, and a polished, carefully produced talking comedy would take twenty minutes to screen, has yet to be made. Tempo must be considered in film craft. A comedy played at a dirge-like pace can ruin any humorous merits that it may possess; a tragedy played at breakneck speed can reduce itself to a farce.

The talking film ought to be a great medium for education and instruction. Already medical students are being taught in Britain by a small apparatus installed in lecture theatres, and when in-stallations become cheaper, our schools would do well to adopt this method of teaching. Used properly, the film can be of great benefit, and it can also do great harm. It can circulate propaganda throughout the world. Nothing can be concealed from the camera's eye, which does not lie. Everything which points to it being the most potent influence of the next twenty years. Let us hope it will be used.

ONE of the best films of the week has been showing at the Star Theatre. It is *The Unholy Night*, and not only is it a film of unusual merit from many angles, but affords some interesting facts. In the first place it was one of the earliest talkies and gave John Miljan a big chance to prove himself—a chance which he grasped with both hands so that he has now developed into one of the foremost of Hollywood's character-players; secondly it saw the debut of Roland Young into talkies; and thirdly it was directed by none other than Lionel Barrymore, now one of the most popular screen players in the world. Unfortunately *The Unholy Night* has finished its run and recommendation comes rather late to be of much value. Nevertheless it is not entirely out of place to remark that it reaches what can be regarded as pretty nearly the peak of cinematography in those early and experimental days of the first talking pictures. Furthermore its direction shows that Barrymore infuses as much personality and intelligence into this technical side of the cinema as he has done in his subsequent playing. In every respect the picture was very fine entertainment, and incidentally one of the very few films with a mystery sufficiently water-tight to remain as such until the closing sequences.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLE QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

London Terminals.
 March 1933 6 1/2 down 3/4d.
 May 1933 6 3/4 down 1/2d.
 August 1933 6 5/8 down 1/4d.
 December 1933 6 7/8 down 1/4d.
 Buyers at above prices, sellers asking 1/4d-1/2d more.

New York Terminals.
 December 1932 1.00 up 1 pt.
 March 1933 .92 no change.
 May 1933 .96 up 2 pts.
 July 1933 1.00 up 2 pts.
 Cuban 96—Spot N. Y. 1.07 down 2 pts.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is moving eastward and is now centred over Japan. The typhoon has again recurved and is situated in the western part of the Bering Channel, moving westward. Local forecast:—North winds, fresh to strong; fair at first; cloudy with rain later.

FANLING GOLF.

STARTING TIMES FOR SUNDAY

New Course

9.24 G. T. May, H. L. F. Ewin.
 9.28 O. Eager, F. A. Pollock.
 9.32 R. C. Webb, H. P. Bailey.
 9.36 Capt. W. D. Hughes, Major J. Wren.
 9.40 Hon. Cdr. G. F. H. Hole, J. W. Alabaster.
 9.44 A. H. MacBride, J. E. Richardson.
 9.48 Mrs. A. H. MacBride, Mrs. Kerr.
 9.52 R. W. Gardiner, E. Lester Arnold.
 9.56 B. S. Lloyd, Lt. H. C. Gould.
 10.00 E. Lewis, H. C. Hopkins.
 10.04 J. A. H. Plummer, B. M. Tyler.
 10.08 R. A. Rodgers, Dr. G. W. McKean.
 10.12 A. R. McEachran, J. F. Lawrie.
 10.16 Dr. J. A. R. Selby, Capt. M. W. Evans.
 10.20 L. A. Calcraft, A. M. Macaulay.
 10.24 H. Spicer, A. Ritchie.
 10.28 J. B. Logan, A. Sommerfeldt.
 10.32 R. C. Law, Dr. C. H. Burton.
 10.36 V. R. Gordon, Dr. R. S. Traill.
 10.40 B. Evans, R. C. Taplin.
 10.44 G. A. Lelapor, K. W. Jones.
 10.52 J. C. Dunbar, A. J. Bird.

Old Course

8.52 E. Des Voeux, W. S. Hillier.
 8.56 J. Smith, H. Hampton.
 9.00-9.20 not to be booked.
 9.25 S. J. H. Fox, W. Taylor.
 9.30 J. H. Anderson, W. J. Buller.
 9.36 J. D. Thomson, J. K. Mac-Booker.
 9.40 Dr. J. E. H. Cogan, F. E. E. Roza.
 9.46 L. R. Andrewes, A. W. de L. S. Dodwell, A. L. Eastman.
 9.55 F. A. Redmond, A. T. Lay.
 10.00 F. J. de Ronce, A. T. Beaulieu.
 10.05 C. W. F. Booker, D. S. Edwards.
 10.10 A. H. Ferguson, D. C. Wilson.
 10.15 Dr. I. Nowton, O. E. C. Marton.
 10.20 A. B. Stewart, F. E. A. Remedios.
 10.25 J. B. Mackie, G. H. Russell.
 10.30 A. F. Leaman, A. E. Charnman.
 10.35 A. K. MacKenzie, A. A. Lopes.
 10.40 I. W. Sheehan, M. W. Budd.
 10.45 W. Mulcahy, A. P. Hall-Thompson.
 10.50 I. H. Geare, K. S. Robertson.

KOWLOON CONTINUE TO EXPERIMENT

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BORDERERS OR S. CHINA?

Can the Borderers beat South China on Sunday? Well there are points in their favour. For one thing the Chinese team has been out of soccer for a fortnight, and another is that the Borderers are playing first rate football. They are not as pretty as South China, but they can be equally as effective, as the Club found out to their cost a fortnight ago. Frankly I feel the Borderers' defence is not strong enough to hold the dashing and deadly Chinese vanners, but on the other hand the soldiers' have a forward line which can score and score fast. The best balanced team will win, and it will probably be the Chinese.

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YESTERDAY'S HOCKEY

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In the centre of the attack is Sen-ma Hooood, who on this, his first appearance in the Colony showed himself a player capable of good work in front or goal and by no means slow to seize opportunities when they arose. The two inside men, A. B. Robertson and Tel. Lewis, are also very clever with the stick.

The officers were without their usual inside forwards but the substitutes, Lieut. White, Lieut. Slade and Lieut. Bartlett did some really useful work. Had the strongest team been fielded there is no doubt the Mamak team would have gone under by a much larger margin.

Sub. Lieuts. Donald and Slade scored for the Officers while A. B. Hedges replied for the ratings. The line up was as follows: Officers—Lieutenant Com. Higham; Com. Colpoys and Lieut. Com. Macjude; Lieut. Galsford, Lieut. Hedges, Lieut. Lloyd; Sub. Lieut. Donald, Lieut. White, Lieut. Slade, Lieut. Bartlett and Lieut. Rimgingham.

Mamak Team—Ldg. Sig. Evans; Tel. Steers and Ldg. Sea, Rhodes; E. R. A. Wisdom, E. R. A. Dunn and A. B. Hedges; C. P. O. Noseworthy, A. B. Robertson, Ldg. Sea, Hargood, Tel. Lewis and A. B. Allen.

One of the best matches of the season was the result of the meeting in the Mamak tournament at King's Park yesterday between the 24th Battery R.A., and H.M.S. Tamar. The Battery won by three goals to two.

The exchanges throughout were even and the standard of play was higher than that witnessed in many of the games to-date. The reason for this was the excellent combination and the evenness in prowess of the opposing factions.

The Naval side was well served by the centre half, Downs, who broke up attack after attack, levelled at their goal. Unfortunately he received an injury to the foot and was forced to leave the field for a while.

The Tamar were the first to open the scoring, Stone finding the net in the first half, and before the interval Collier replied for the Battery. In the second half Salt gave the Army men the lead but Stone brought the scores level again. Shortly before the end Smith netted the winning goal for the Artillery.

The match between the R.A.S.C. and the 1st H.K.S. Battery, which was postponed from October 13th was played off yesterday and resulted in a win for the Indians by four goals to all.

The Battery had the services of Lieut. J. K. Macfarlane, the Army centre forward, who signalled his first appearance in the Mamak tournament by netting two goals in the first half. It was in this half that the Battery scored their two other goals.

There was no scoring in the second half.

REFeree's ACTION

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these players to the Colony the Navy should make a successful bid to take the Slim Shield from the Club, the present holders.

THE team to represent the Medway in the Mamak competition also enjoys a reputation that cannot be discounted and they are no doubt the strongest of the naval units in the league. Eighteen players have been signed on as eligible to play, all past masters in the art of hockey, and the selection of the strongest team will require not a little thought.

SO excellent are the revisions made in the rules of hockey by the International Hockey Board that they do not call for comment. Many the issues which, in the past, have caused such confusion are now made clear and they have been readily accepted by the Mamak tournament committee and other clubs in the Colony. The rule which is likely to cause the greatest trouble is that which states that in stopping the ball neither foot nor leg may be used in support of the stick. This practice has been used freely in the past and in the games which have been played since the publication of the rules has been responsible for the frequent blowing of the whistle. Another revision which is likely to cause concern for a while is that in regard to the bully, it being now decreed that only the flat face of the stick can be used for playing the ball or making contact with the opponent's stick at a bully. Before this amendment the hooked stick was invariably used.

POST OFFICE NOTICE

Christmas & New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain. Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at the times given and despatched by the following steamers:

| Steamer | Date of Closing | Date Due at London |
|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Rajputana | 5 p.m., 4th November | 8th December |
| Bangalore | 5 p.m., 11th November | 18th December |
| Corfu | 5 p.m., 18th November | 23rd December |

The Afternoon Service to Macao is suspended until further notice. Mails can now be forwarded to Europe via Siberia. Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded via Siberia if so superscribed. SAIGON-MARSEILLES AIR MAIL SERVICES. Letters will be accepted for transmission by the above-mentioned mail service to the destinations specified. Registered letters may be sent by this service but not insured letters. The rates charged will be the regular postage rate plus the special mail premium as indicated in the following table:

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| Persia (Bushahr) | 0.85 |
| Irak (Bagdad) | 0.95 |
| Palestine (Beirut) | 1.05 |
| Greece (Athens) | 1.20 |
| Italy (Naples) | 1.35 |
| France (Marseilles) | 1.55 |
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| Japan | Calcutta Maru | October 28. |
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| Straits | Sunning | October 29. |
| Japan | Conte Verde | October 30. |
| U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan, and Shanghai (San Francisco, 7th October) | Nellore | October 30. |
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OUTWARD MAILS. Date and Time. Samshul and Wuchow Fri., Oct. 28, 4 p.m. Fort Bayard Fri., Oct. 28, 6 p.m. Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U. S. A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B. C., and Europe via Siberia Fri., Oct. 28, 6 p.m.

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K. P. O. Reg., Oct. 28, 4.30 p.m. Letters, Oct. 28, 4.30 p.m. G. P. O. Reg., Oct. 28, 5 p.m. Letters, Oct. 28, 6 p.m. (Due Marseilles, 20th November.)

Hoihow and Bangkok Sat., Oct. 29, 10.30 a.m. Shanghai Sat., Oct. 29, 10.30 a.m. Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island Sat., Oct. 29, 10.30 a.m.

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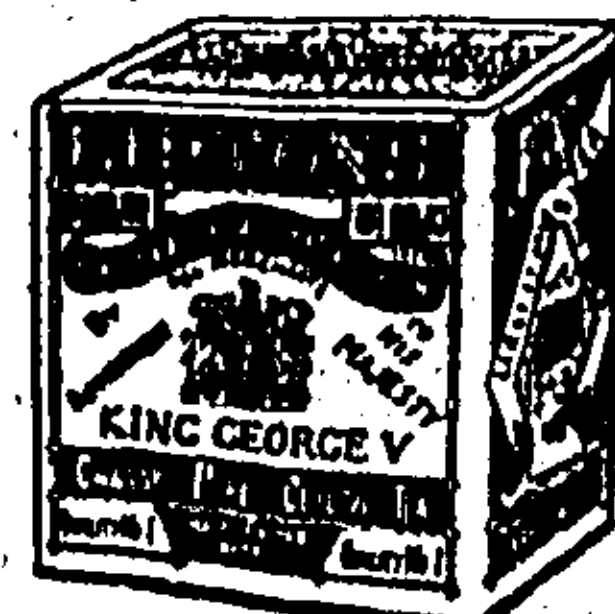
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Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. and Europe via Siberia Empress of Asia Thur., Nov. 3, 3 p.m. Parcels, Nov. 3, 3.00 p.m. Reg., Nov. 3, 4.15 p.m. Letters, Nov. 3, 5.00 p.m. (Due Vancouver B.C., 21st Nov.)

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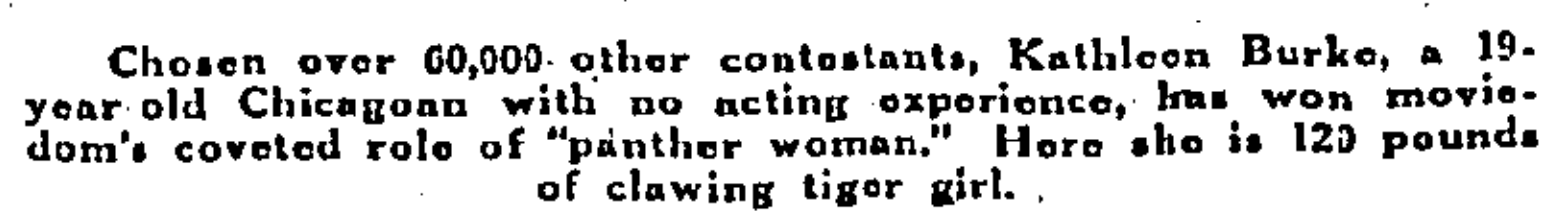
OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS

**BRILLIANT FILMS ALMOST RUINED
BY SHEER CARELESSNESS**

IT is peculiar and a little mystifying to continually find Hollywood, who enjoys the reputation of turning out the most efficient films in the world, from the technical and directorial viewpoint, falling down on details. And it is because of the general excellence of the pictures that these blunders in small matters are amplified and left in one's memory as distasteful reminders of the careless marring of a fine piece of work.

IF these careless faults had not been committed, *Arsenic Lupin* would be worthy to rank as one of the best works of the United States studios. Aided by a brilliantly conceived story, and backed by a remarkably fine cast, the producers had all the material for a film of outstanding entertainment, and in many respects the material is extreme & well used. Without any technical embellishments, Lionel and John Barrymore and Karen Morley provide a performance which is both stimulating and entertaining. Given capable photography and efficient editing, the picture is doubly enhanced.

JUDGED on this film, I have not the slightest doubt as to which of the two Barrymores is the greater actor. Whereas John Barrymore offers a neat and amusing study as the villain with a keen appreciation of feminine charm, a ready wit and a criminal's sense of honour and decency, Lionel makes rather more impressive his characterisation by the infusion into it of his remarkable personality. He is more demonstrative, and might even be accused of a little "fairness" if such a word could be used, but it fits him so perfectly as to lead one to conclude that his is a reasonable and natural interpretation. Karen Morley is extremely well cast as the ex-convict used by the police to decoy Lupin, and who eventually genuinely falls in love with



on the sofa when she mentions her longing for a child.

INTO this house, which has a puzzling air of gloom, in spite of its sunshine, comes Dr. Nicholas Faber—Paul Lukas. He is the third of the polished actors who subtly develop the unusual

story, adapted from the play by Philip Barry. Ruth innocently welcomes the congenial companionship of this guest, who is with them while giving a series of lectures. The puzzling psychology of his charming hostess is understood by the physician, before the man has realised their love. The laurel that Lucretia ranges in his Viennese consulting room seven years later, is no fresher for him than the shrub which blossomed on his last evening with Ruth, and he goes back to America, for Ruth to hear him broadcast on emotion and flowers—and summon him to the crisis of their lives. The problem that faces Ruth at this time, a problem which is cleverly developed, is one that all women can feel keenly, no matter how they regard its morals. Those seven years had given Ruth the child she wanted, and Gail a son of whom he was overwhelmingly proud.

Queen's "Is Everybody Happy"
—Just depends whether you have
an ear for a "hot clarinet" and an
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Ted Lewis does his best.

King's "To-morrow and To-morrow"—Emotional Ruth Chatterton with glycerine tears and a misguided idea of love.
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Taiping "The Man I Killed"

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Queen's "Brother Alfred"
King's "One Heavenly Night"
Majestic "Disorderly Conduct"
Oriental "Sky Bride"
Tainpang "The Vagabond King"

every side you hear remarks such as "Sex stuff again!" "Wretched cowboy film." "Another gangster drama." "When will these film people learn what we want?" To my mind a reflection on the cinema is a reflection on the artist, and when I hear criticism, I regard it as an attack on myself, writes Milton Rosmer, the film producer.

ANYONE who dismisses the cinema with a sweep of the hand, shows himself very ignorant. What of the photography? Modern photography, whether English, American, Russian, or German, is almost uniformly excellent. But the detail and technique behind that simple-looking shot is never realised. It is the same with the dialogue and acting. Infinite pains are taken with rehearsals until the director is satisfied, thousands of pounds are spent in perfecting microscopic effects which the average audience never appreciates. The organisation behind even the most puerile film is vast and intricate. From a purely business point of view, no one can sneer at the film. Huge profits are regularly made by all the leading companies. Whilst this happens, there is little prospect of the fare being changed. I have talked on many occasions to film directors about the prestige of the industry and the appreciation of the film as an art, only to be told, "Listen, young man, we've got our finger on the public pulse—we are giving the people what they want."

CRITICS who unthinkingly demand this or that type of film are apt to forget that the cinema is scarcely twenty-five years old. The theatre is two thousand, and, judging by some of its mere "modernist" manifestations, is not yet perfect. From a purely personal point of view, I think there is room for films on Britain—English or Scottish accents, British cities and landscapes, country and characters and plots. There is no need like the personal. Once you get people saying, "Why, that film was just like our street," you are making progress. English history seems with inspiration. There is a wonderful storehouse of drama in costume films with historical themes, which could be made in any of the old castle towns of England. Why should there not be films on smuggling, piracy, or crime, set on the Devon coast, with the love interest in the quaint old village? An English film company does not need to build castles or villages, they are already there.

FILMS of the simple people ought to be made, after the recent surfeit of so-called society dramas. A simple tale, told well, is twenty times as appealing and effective as all the elaborate spectacle of the latest American "wonder" film. The struggles and trials of a Welsh mining village or Lancashire cotton town, if treated sympathetically, would make "good cinema." I was taking about possible films to a Ger-



- 1 Fine rubber by the waterfall
- 2 may let the man down.
- 3 Symbolic of a tribe.
- 4 Heard in camera when closing.
- 5 It's strange, but if it had an-
- 6 other head it would make you
- 7 very angry.
- 8 This way is open to all.
- 9 Smudge.
- 10 Scottish warfare place.
- 11 Send bun (nang.).
- 12 Just the herb for you and me.
- 13 If the centre letter were the pre-
- 14 vious one, the natural gift would
- 15 be an English coast town.
- 16 All one kind.
- 17 Shouting frequently used to
- 18 describe check.
- 19 Narrow piece.
- 20 Poet of old.
- 21 Copy.
- 22 A boy must be than his father.
- 23 Precisely more than his.
- 24 Name the boy quite early in the
- 25 book.

Down

- 1 It may stump you, as it is.
- 2 Is it a vegetable or a fruit?
- 3 Acts in a queer way.
- 4 Bewitch.
- 5 2 is an appropriate chief ingredient of this.
- 6 "Why are our bodies soft and weak and smooth, Unant to toil and—in the world" ("Tameline of the Shrew").
- 7 This is 7, although I have to tell

9 you wrongly.
9 High jinks for tomboys.
14 Now in this one has definite
knowledge.
15 A simple lyric completely upsets
this chap.
10 A subordinate who takes his
place below the fish.
18 Your fate, though it may be a
bit thick.
19 Fall back.
20 Make one for it.
21 Earache.
25 Melancholy music.
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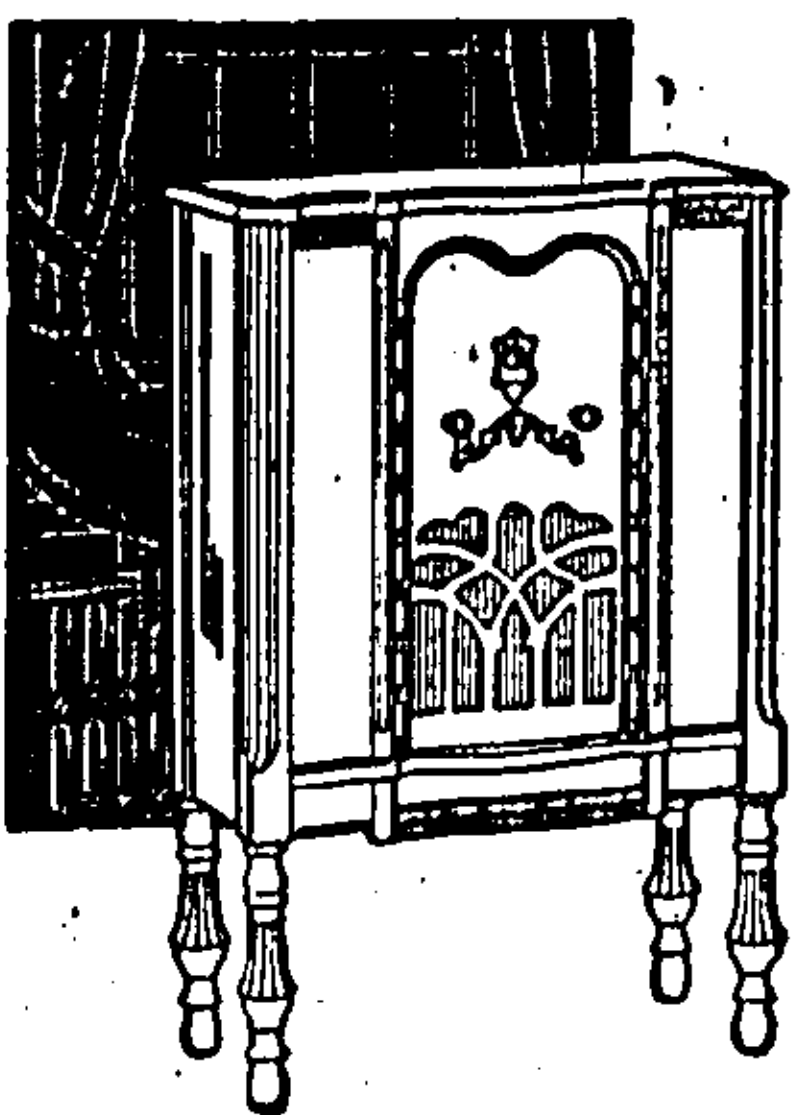
"Hush-a-bye," "Hot Cross Buns," "Dame got up," "Curly Locks," "Tom, Tom," "I saw three ships," "There was a frog," "What have you got," etc., "Oranges and Lemons," "Jack and Jill," "The Spider and the Fly," "Hickory, Dickory, Dock," "Baa, Baa, Black Sheep," "As Tommy was walking," "There was a little woman," "A Piper's Son."

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THE SIXTH ARMY IN FUKIEN: 1

The news that Communist forces are again advancing in north-west Fukien serves to illustrate the fact that the Red influence still dominates large parts of this province, although the 19th Route Army has been successful in winning back some areas. Although it is a coastal province, Fukien has for some years been a backwater of Chinese politics. The Central Government has left it nominally in the hands of the Navy, an anomalous arrangement, but in point of fact the rule of the Navy has not extended much beyond the two ports of Foochow and Amoy. Inland the province has been divided between a number of military leaders, each of whom has carved out a piece for himself, held it against bandits and neighbours, and governed autocratically. The Three Principles have been given a lip-service, but beyond that have exercised little influence on the rulers.

Presumably this state of affairs has been due to the fact that the province has not been on the highway of the Nationalist armies, and it was more urgent for them to consolidate their position along the interior line from Canton to the Yangtze, and down that river. When Chiang Kai-shek's armies moved north from Canton in 1925-7, they made certain first of their own province, securing the country along the East River and the Chaochowfu-Swatoow area, as well as moving in the more direct line up the North River; but when once their hold of that province was secure, they went through Kiangsi on to Hankow, and down from there, leaving behind them a trail of Communism which is now so vigorous that it threatens the State, although the parent body when it reached Hankow disowned Communism and "purged" the Party. In the whole of that movement Fukien was largely left aside.

Kuomintang propaganda indeed penetrated the province, but, no army remaining to back it, never became really dominant. Meanwhile the west of the province caught the contagion of Communism from the neighbouring province of Kiangsi, and for several years its countryside has become increasingly red, and its district cities been subject to raids from the organised Communist armies of Generals Tau and Mo.

Such was the state of things until the sudden Communist advance further into the province and the capture of the cities of Changchow and Changpu in the spring. General Chang Chen at Changchow failed to stem the advance. General Chen Kuo-fu, who advanced from Chuanchow to Tung-on and held the enemy, made a much better showing. He could do no more, however, than protect his own area. For these, and probably other reasons, the 19th Army, fresh from its long stand against the Japanese at Shanghai, was drafted into Fukien. It had become of the first importance to rid the province of the peril to the Government which the Red advance presented. It had also become important that if, as at that time was widely feared, and as is still a possibility, the Japanese extended operations, the province which figured so prominently in the Twenty-one Demands, owing to its proximity to Formosa, should be held firmly, and as a unit, for the Central Government. The 19th Army were no longer needed in Shanghai. It had indeed been persistently rumoured that they were never in favour with Nanking, being adherents of the Canton faction, though they were nationalist in feeling in the same way that Wang Ching-wei was nationalist. They were moved to what might be the next point of attack in China Proper. The immediate task of the Army on arrival in the province was to move against the Communists. This they gradually did, the main body falling back before them voluntarily from both Changchow and Changpu. More recently the army has advanced into what for some time has been a Communist preserve, the city of Liungnam and the surrounding country. They have still, however, if they are to clear the province of the Reds, to take and occupy Tingchow, Shanghai and Yungtin, with other district cities on the Kiangsi border. This may prove more formidable a task, for the people are by now imbued with Communist ideas, and the organised forces of the Reds in Kiangsi may make more effort to hold what has been specifically their territory, although they have not held it constantly.

At the same time that the Army has made its gradual advance into the Communist country, it has had the further problem of dealing with the local military leaders though-out the province. This was not such a clear issue. The leaders have had at least the tacit recognition of Nanking, the Government being only too glad to receive a nominal adhesion from them. Some like Chang Chin, received definite mandates from the Central Government to conduct the anti-Communist campaign. It has however become clear if the province is to have a definite relation to the Government, and in particular to bear its part in the present urgent national issues, it must be unified under a new provincial authority. The local rulers are being eliminated, and a new Government with General Chiang Kwong-nai at its head, set up in Foochow. The administration is not confined to military men. Mr. Fan Khi-mu, who was at the head of the finance department in Canton when General Chen Ming-shu, the original head of the 19th Route Army, was there, is now with his old colleagues in Foochow; but the administration is founded on the power of the army, while the civil problems which now face the army will be more easily dealt with

DAY BY DAY

LAW, CONTRACTS, AND OTHER IMPEDIMENTS OF ALL KINDS ARE ONLY MADE FOR ROGUES.—Mac O'Rell.

The China Light and Power Recreation Club dance for Saturday, October 29 has been cancelled.

Passengers arriving by the Asama Maru to-day included Mr. J. D. Humphreys and Mrs. R. Leach.

Mr. A. Aoki, Japanese Minister to Rome, is passing through the Colony by the s.s. Hakozaki Maru to-day.

Yesterday, Li Chiu, a bricklayer was injured in a fall from scaffolding on the level of the first floor of 611, Shanghai Street, Yau-mat, and was conveyed to the Kowloon Hospital.

Blank ammunition will be fired at intervals from forts at Stonecutters Belchers and Lyemun between noon November 1st and 9 a.m. November 3rd. Searchlights will be employed during hours of darkness.

Ho So, an elderly woman, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday with an injury to her face, received in an accident at Queen's Road West, when she was knocked down by a goods lorry.

The wedding will shortly take place between Mr. Thomas Charles Harris, merchant, of 38, Whitworth Street, Manchester, at present residing at St. Francis Hotel, and Miss Kathleen Elgar, who is en route for the Colony by the s.s. Comorin.

It is understood that through the efforts of Mr. Li Yau-tsun, C.B.E., and other prominent Chinese directors of the Handicraft Free School in Aberdeen, many substantial contributions have been obtained and construction of the school will be started in the near future.

Getting into the way of a fire appliance in Queen's Road West, a little girl, named Chau Kwan, 8 years of age, was rendered unconscious with a fractured skull received through being struck down. Her condition is regarded as critical at the hospital to which she has been admitted.

Sub-calibre gun practice for the week ending November 5th will take place as follows:—Nov. 1st, Devil's Peak, at 10 a.m., area affected, Tai-thone Channel; Nov. 2nd, Pukshawan, at 5.30 p.m., area affected, Junk Bay; Nov. 3rd, Mt. Davis, at 10.30 a.m., area affected, S.W. of Mt. Davis.

The first of the monthly dances arranged by the Y.M.C.A., to be held throughout the winter was enjoyed last night in the West Lounge, and was a big success. Dancing to the strains of Mickey's Melody Makers, the couples enjoyed themselves until the early hours. The programme included several novel dances. Mr. S. A. Gray was M.C.

Ruth Chatterton and Paul Lukas are paired in "To-morrow and To-morrow," now showing at the King's Theatre. The film is admirably produced and marked by fine emotional acting on the part of the leads, while Ted Alexander is remarkably good as a child actor. The theme is one which is not likely to appeal to everyone, while there is far too much "sob stuff" to make it satisfying entertainment. As a study, however, many will no doubt find it a distinct change from the ordinary run of pictures.

when a semi-civil Government is in office. Considerations of space preclude us at the moment from dealing farther with the problems ahead, but we hope to return to these to-morrow.

SCHOOLGIRLS WITH A BRIDE'S TROUSSEAU

By MONTAGUE SMITH

FATHER has written to the bank for a new cheque book. Home is the place for multi and freedom.

Mother says: "You know, it really is very awkward. I have to take Jane to Messrs. X. and Y. for her new school outfit, and she knows perfectly well I cannot afford to get all my own things there."

Father says: "Well, of course, it would never do for Jane to go to school and find that the other girls had got better outfits than she has, but why on earth, she wants all those dabbles, or whatever you call them, I simply cannot understand."

Mother says: "Well, it was not like it in my young days, and I think it is about time they began to teach the girls something of the need for economy. Thank goodness, Jane has got her head screwed on the right way, but what it is going to be like in the future for some of those girls with the extravagant notions the headmistress puts into their minds, I do not know."

Those "Extras"
This sort of conversation has been going on in thousands of homes. It follows days of buying in the stores and shops which is the necessary prelude nowadays to sending a girl for the first time to a public school or first-class convent.

Only those parents who have had this experience will know to the full what it means; others may learn it in time. Or, they may, indeed, learn to their sorrow that the cost is prohibitive, and that Jane, or Doris, or Katie must be sent to a different school from their elder sisters.

This is a matter to which the great majority of girls' school, who are really trying to bring down their costs to modern conditions, should apply attention.

Such schools have done a great deal in the last year or two in the way of reducing school fees and eliminating "extras." Nevertheless at the average good public school for girls to-day the year's account will amount generally to this:

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| Inclusive fee | £195 0 0 |
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| Games subscription | 3 0 0 |
| Pocket money | 6 0 0 |
| Total | £219 0 0 |

On top of this is the cost of the outfit.

Bills mount up, and these who have had the experience will testify that the cost of the new outfit demanded to-day for a girl going for the first time to a public school is certainly £100, and may well be £120.

Future "renewals" will cost at least another £20 a term.

In addition there are many items which parents simply have to provide if their daughters are to hold up their heads in their new world—lawn tennis racquets, hockey sticks, golf clubs, and, maybe, dance frocks.

Many schools, indeed, now include two non-uniform dance frocks in the list of essentials, and excuse it on the ground that the girls will be able to wear these at home. But whoever heard of an ordinary healthy girl who did not simply hate the idea of wearing any of her school dresses on holiday? For her they are the

occasion.

They might give parents a greater latitude of choice of shops when purchasing. They might comment on service-ability rather than cost and style. They might inculcate the idea that a stocking darned by its wearer is not necessarily a dishonourable badge.

They must, in short, inculcate the virtues of economy.

FIXING TH' WIFESH

By Edward Kelly, Misogynist

We met Pete down the street last night. Pete had been color-broting.

He leered at us triumphantly.

"I fixed her," he said.

We waited for him to continue.

"Told her off properly," he said after a pause.

"Told who off?" we asked.

"Th' wif, of course," said Pete.

"Good man," we said, and shook his hand.

"Told her what I thought of her."

We congratulated him again.

"Didn't give her chanah get a word in eggwaysh!"

"That's the idea," we said, encouragingly.

"Told her what I thought of her mother ash well," said Pete proudly.

"Let her see who wash bosh, an' told her she'd worn the trousers long-enough."

"Nothing like putting them in their place," we said.

"An' when I'd finished telling her things I've wanted to shay

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STRAYING YOUTH STOPS THE PEAK TRAM PERIL TO TRACK AND PASSENGERS SERIOUS OFFENCE

A "solicitor's instructions" were mentioned by Inspector Chester Woods, of the Gough Hill Station, at the Central Police Court this morning when presenting a charge of trespassing and obstruction against a young Chinese who was found wandering on the Peak tramway.

Kung Poon, aged 18, the youth charged, was on police bail of \$250, and the Magistrate (Mr. Schofield) in considering the amount, said it seemed to be a rather high bail for such an offence.

Inspector Chester Woods:—As a matter of fact, it is your Worship. The maximum fine is only \$100 on each charge. But those were Mr. Marton's instructions.

It was indicated that Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Dencons, was appearing for the Tramway Company, at whose instance the prosecution was brought. He was engaged elsewhere, and the prosecuting police officer asked that the case be held over until noon, when the solicitor named would be able to attend.

NARROWLY MISSED.

The case for the Tramway Company was found that Kung Poon was found meandering along the tracks, coming down the incline between Barker and May Roads. At a critical moment, the driver of an oncoming tram, the 1.50 p.m. one from the Peak, had to apply the emergency brake, and a collision with the pedestrian was narrowly missed.

The charge against Kung Poon was two-fold—firstly, that he wilfully trespassed on the track, and secondly, that he caused an obstruction.

TOOK NO NOTICE.

On his appearance, Mr. Marton said that when the 1.50 p.m. train was proceeding down the Peak and was about 100 yards below Barker Road Station, the brakesman saw a man walking down the line. About 300 or 400 yards below, the line takes a curve to the left. As soon as the brakesman saw the trespasser, he rang his bell, one which rang loudly, and kept on ringing until he was within about ten yards of the man.

He must have heard it, but took not the slightest notice and continued walking down the line. By this time, the tram was almost round the curve. The brakesman realised that he must run over the man unless the emergency brake was applied. He rang the danger bell and the car was immediately brought to a standstill. Then, for the first time, the man looked round and saw the tram. He ran on, jumped on a stone platform beside the line and after remaining there for a few seconds, jumped into the bushes below. The brakesman thereupon sent another employee of the company who was travelling on the car to find him and he was subsequently taken to the police station and charged.

VERY SERIOUS.

Continuing, Mr. Marton said that the Tramway Company regarded the offences as very serious. In themselves, they might not seem important, but the consequences which might attach to the defendant's acts were serious.

The Company, said Mr. Marton, might suffer damage by reason of the defendant's acts in a number of different ways. First of all, if unauthorised persons were allowed to wander about the track, they might damage the cable very seriously. The tram could be stopped in two different ways, i.e., by ringing the danger bell which was transmitted to the engine room at the top of the line, whereupon the current was cut off and the tram brought to a standstill. The result of this might be that the cable would become twisted, and, if it were, it might be damaged beyond repair.

BRACING DANGER.

The other method of stopping the tram was by the brakesman applying the emergency brake. This would likewise stop the tram immediately, but the danger in this practice was that the engines still continued running, so that the cable continued to run from the drum, and it was then bound to become twisted and damaged beyond repair.

In this particular case, however, no actual damage had been done to the cable. He asked that a heavy penalty should be imposed, in view of the gravity of the offences, and so that it should act as a deterrent to others.

Defendant was fined \$50 on the charge of trespassing and a further \$100 on that of obstruction.

OPIUM HAUL ON "HANGSANG". PAINTER HEAVILY FINED

Three Chinese members of the crew of the s.s. Hangsang were arrested on the arrival of the ship from Canton yesterday morning, whilst two others have absconded in connexion with the presence of a large quantity of raw opium which was subsequently found on board by a party of revenue officers, under R.O. Tengrove.

On the arrival of the ship about 7 o'clock yesterday morning, the party went on board, acting on information received, and carried out a search. In the cabin occupied by the quartermasters, the party found a small packet of raw opium and arrested two of the occupants.

Some three hours later, further information was received and another visit made to the ship. On being admitted, to the paint shop, the officers were confronted with a number of tins which gave the appearance of containing paint but on closer inspection no less than 736 taels of raw opium were found in small packets inside some of the tins, the majority of which were fastened down.

The storekeeper who had produced the key to the officers was arrested and this morning charged before Mr. Schofield with being in possession of 736 taels, while the two quartermasters were also brought before the Court on a charge of possession of approximately 60 taels.

The quartermasters were remanded until next week, while the case against the painter was dealt with this morning, the defendant pleading not guilty.

A Chinese detective gave evidence of arrest while R.O. Tengrove in the witness box admitted under cross-examination that he was informed the paint shop was left open whilst the ship was at sea and only kept locked in port. He had heard that two quartermasters had absconded.

The defendant said the quartermasters all had access to the paint store which was always left open at sea. There were only two keys to the door. He kept one, which was hung in his room which was shared by ten others. The other key was with the Chief officer.

It was pointed out to the defendant that the tins of paint were all fastened down as if they had not been opened.

The defendant replied that as the tins were together with a number of others, he did not notice that old tins were fastened. He knew nothing about the opium, otherwise he would have absconded.

His Worship registered a conviction and fined the defendant \$1,000 or ten months' hard labour, his Worship said he would not impose the maximum sentence in view of the defendant's inexperience as a seaman.

MOTOR MISHAP SEQUEL

FINE IMPOSED FOR OFFENCE

An accident on the Castle Peak Road on October 19 had a sequel at the Kowloon Magistracy before Mr. Butters this morning when Mr. A. Zimmermann was summoned for failing to keep his car to the extreme left of the road.

It was revealed by Traffic Sergeant Clarke, who prosecuted, that the defendant turned a bend just above the Laichikok Prison without keeping to the left side, with the result that his car collided with that of Mr. C. W. Jeffries, who was with Mr. B. D. Evans. Mr. Jeffries' car was thrown off the road, but fortunately nobody was hurt.

His Worship:—Is the damage being settled privately?

Sergeant Clarke:—I believe so, your Worship.

His Worship:—Is that so, Mr. Zimmermann?

His Worship:—The fine is \$20.

FINES REDUCED.

On pleading his inability to pay the fine, his Worship reduced these to \$20 and \$50 respectively, but pointed out that it was a very serious offence.

Defendant said he was a little deaf and at the time a strong wind was blowing, which prevented him from noticing the approach of the car. He was taking a short cut down to town, and did not know that he was transgressing any regulation. He pointed out that there were no notices but up warning men off the track.

His Worship, in confirming his decision, said defendant should have made it his business to know the regulations of the Colony.

WATER COLOUR EXHIBITION FINE DISPLAY AT KOMOR'S

Messrs. Komor and Komor's water colour exhibition is being held just in time for people who wish to send home authentic Far Eastern studies as Christmas presents. Many of the exhibits are no more costly than the best Christmas cards. For example, there are pretty little pictures ranging in price from \$2 to \$3.50, nicely mounted and signed by the artists.

In addition, there are some remarkably fine studies by Terrauchi such as No. 36, "Zushi," a wonderful effect of sunset lights; No. 37, a perfect view with excellent reflections of a beautiful landscape near Yokohama; No. 39, of Numadzu, the well-known summer resort, done as only an artist like Terrauchi could do it. Then there are some works by Goto, the wizard of seascapes and mountain views such as No. 59, the Japanese Alps; No. 27, Hodozyna, near Yokohama, and many other of real merit. Banson excels with his fine Fujiyama views, like Nos. 72 and 24.

It is impossible to describe all the pictures on view; they must be seen to be appreciated, and as we have so few occasions in Hongkong to see real art, the exhibition, which is open for ten days only, is well worth visiting.

The exhibition is from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, and all interested will be welcome, whether to purchase or merely to see this wonderful display of the finest water colours exhibited in the Colony for many years.

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN RELATIONS

ON QUITE FRIENDLY FOOTING

London, Oct. 27.

Asked whether he could make any statement as to the relations existing between the British Government and the present Government of Egypt, and whether the latter is one with which these relations may be developed in the direction of a settlement of outstanding questions, the Foreign Under Secretary, Capt. Anthony Eden, in the House of Commons to-day, stated he was happy to say relations were entirely friendly.

The British Government made no reservation in regarding the present Egyptian Administration as one with which Anglo-Egyptian relations both have been and may continue to be developed at a time and in the manner which appear most suitable for the purpose.—British Wireless.

RECENT AFFRAY RECALLED

INJURED MAN STILL UNCONSCIOUS

On the application of the prosecution, conducted by Inspector John Murphy, two Chinese arrested in connexion with the recent affray on the waterfront when a coolie was seriously injured in a fight, the two men who were subsequently arrested, were again remanded this morning.

Inspector Murphy remarked that the injured man, who had sustained a fractured skull, was still unconscious and the police were asking for three days' remand. In the event of the man regaining consciousness, depositions would be taken and the defendants' presence would be required.

The two men were accordingly remanded for three days, in police custody.

WANCHAI ROBBERY.

THIEVES DECAMP WHEN ALARM IS RAISED

A gold finger ring and four Hongkong dollars was the only loot from what was obviously a well planned robbery, committed at Wanchai early yesterday afternoon.

A man who gave the name of Chan went to a building in Lockhart Road, and depositing \$1 asked that a cubicle be engaged for him.

Later in the day the landlady Hau Yung-tak, saw Chan talking to a carpenter in the hall. With her was another inmate, Li Wun. Suddenly Chan seized her by the throat, while the carpenter threatened her with a paint scraper. They dragged a gold ring from her finger and took \$4 belonging to Li Wun.

While the robbers were engaged with Hau Yung-tak, Li Wun rushed downstairs and raised the alarm. When she returned with help, however, Hau Yung was lying on the ground, ragged and bound, but the robbers were not in sight.

The police are investigating.

MUCH PROGRESS IN KWANGSI ROADS AND CEMENT WORKS

Nanning, Oct. 21.

Since the fighting which terminated in November, 1930, the province has made great strides in the direction of opening up communications. When the war ended, the whole province was over-run with bandits, and travel even on the main roads was a very dangerous proposition. During the last two years this has completely changed and not only on the main roads and rivers but on the highways not yet made into motor roads travel is safe. The river boats are all provided with a guard of two or three soldiers armed with Mauser revolvers. No trouble has been heard of on the rivers for some time except a small section on the Fu River going up to Kweilin.

Recently an inspection has been made of the local guards in all the hien towns by the general commanding the Fourth Army, in order to see that the suppression of bandits was being carried out effectually.

During the present month a census was taken of the population of the city of Nanning, the capital. In order to meet the difficulty of finding out the number of persons in a house, novel but effective methods were adopted. From 6.30 to 7.30 in the morning nobody was allowed outside his house and during this time the police assisted by the military went round seeing that the papers filled in agreed with the numbers in the house, each man being responsible to examine the papers of five houses.

NEW ROADS.

Progress has also been shown in the building of roads, a section to Lungchow from Nanning having been completed soon after the fighting ceased. Since then the road from Lauchow to Kweilin has been finished and an extension made as far as Sz Ngan in the road running north from Nanning which, rumour says, is to be extended to Kweilin, the capital of Kweichow province. Work is in progress on the road which is to link Nanning to the sea at Hamechow. In the capital, recent innovations have been the introduction of police to direct the growing number of motor vehicles.

Motor roads are being made in many directions, the biggest scheme being the laying down of an asphalt motor road in the busiest business quarter, Sand Street. This, when it is completed, will be the widest and best street in the city. There is also to be a new motor road going out where the North Gate now stands. This is to be demolished shortly, and rumour says that the city wall, which was of such great value to the defenders during the siege two years ago, is to be broken down and a motor road made.

CEMENT WORKS.

Other projects which are more or less certain are the moving of the aerodrome and aviation school to Lauchow. This will probably take place before the year is out. The other large project is the erection of a cement works which is to meet the tremendous demand for cement for building purposes. This is to be either at Nanning or at Kweilin as being more central. A project which has been mooted, but is hardly likely to be carried out yet, is that of automatic telephone service.

At present the greatest and most urgent needs are for a better electric light service in the towns, especially the capital, the light being at the best of an exceedingly poor quality and sometimes being so poor as to make reading impossible. The others are for an system of drainage. This has already been started in Wuchow, but is confined to that city and for a system for irrigation. This would save the perpetual fear of drought and dependence on the summer rains. This has already been begun by an enterprising hien official at Ning Ming, but it might well be extended. Some motor trucks on the roads would do much to assist in the transportation of goods from one place to another. At present the province has a very able and progressive government, and, granted peace for a few years, should make very great strides in the way of progress.—Our Own Correspondent.

ROOF OF THE WORLD. RUSSIANS CLAIM TO HAVE REACHED ELEVATION

London, Oct. 27.

A Soviet mountaineering expedition has reached 21,000 feet above the sea level by attaining the famous Pamir Plateau, known as the "roof of the world." The expedition is continuing its climb with the object of scaling Harmo Peak, 23,163 feet high.—Our Own Correspondent.

RADIO BROADCAST PIANO ITEMS FROM THE STUDIO

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 meters (845 K.C.'s). 5-7 p.m. Chinese recorded program.

7 p.m. Closing Stock Quotations. 7.30-7.35 p.m. A Concert. Orchestral—Romanticism of Vienna (Strauss).Salon Orchestra C2042. Vocal Duet—Two Found A Whole World In You (Leslie). Vocal Duet—Dainty Little Maiden (Besley).Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham B3716. Pianoforte—Concerto in E Minor (Mendler).Benno Moisevitich E630. Song—Out in the Night (Lidgely). Song—The Yeoman's Wedding (Poniatowski).Percy Homing (Baritone) E437. Violin Solo—La Fille Aux Cheveux De Lin (Debussy-Hartmann). Violin Solo—En Bateau (Debussy).Fritz Kreisler 1358. 7.30-8 p.m. From The Studio. A Pianoforte Recital by Miss Mary Brown.

Programme. 1. Romance Without Words (Rebikov). 2. Papillon (Grieg). 3. Pierrette (Chaminade). 4. Rustle of Spring (Sinding). 5. Waltz (Brahms). 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.30-9.30 p.m. Musical Comedy, and Light Opera. Vocal Gems from "The Girl Friend."Light Opera Company C1399. Vocal Gems from "Miss Hook of Holland."Light Opera Company C1399. Selections from "Blue Eyes." Selections from "This Year of Grace."The New Mayfair Orchestra C1510. Vocal Gems from "Dear Love."Light Opera Company C1809. 8.30-10.30 p.m.

A Relay of "The Revellers" Band from Government House, by courtesy of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government and Mrs. W. T. Southern. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio). 9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by Mr. W. B. Winram at the Piano. 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News. 10.33 p.m. (Approx.) Close Down. All records in the above European Programme are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co. N.B.—On Monday 31st, All Halloween, European Music, including a Dance Programme will be broadcast from 7.11.45 p.m. and on Tuesday 1st, November, the European Programme will be transmitted from 5-8 p.m.

CHILD FEARED DROWNED

FALLS OVERBOARD FROM JUNK

Tragedy befel a family on a cargo boat, No. 1630A, in the harbour last evening. The adult members had gone to the afterpart of the craft to prepare the evening meal, leaving the master's 3-year-old daughter sleeping, as they thought, peacefully in hold amidships.

Half-an-hour afterwards, they returned to the hold and were shocked to find her missing. Following on the discovery a search was made in the water, but the child was not seen again. It is believed that she in some way managed to clamber out of the not very deep hold and was drowned when she fell overboard.

Y.M.C.A. WIN.

Keppel Defeated in Close Water Polo Game.

Fielding a scratch team, the Y.M.C.A. yesterday beat H.M.S. Keppel at water-polo three goals to one in the Y.M.C.A. bath. It was an even contest with Ralton and Campbell standing out for the civilian team. King was prominent in defence for the Keppel. Griffith opened the scoring for the Keppel but Campbell equalised before the change over. In the second half Aris put a neat back-slip in and Campbell added another. The teams were: Keppel—Mitchell; Sewell, King; Hutton; Hutchinson, Griffith, Ambler. Y.M.C.A.—Nicholls; Lange, Jenner; Ralton; Aris, Campbell, Broken-shire.

INDIAN TERRORISTS.

CHITTAGONG INHABITANTS GIVE THEM SHELTER

London, Oct. 27.

It is reported from Calcutta that a collective fine of £6,000 has been inflicted on the inhabitants of Chittagong and seven neighbouring villages on the charge of sheltering terrorists. The fine has been suspended temporarily in view of recent efforts of certain inhabitants to assist the Government.—Our Own Correspondent.



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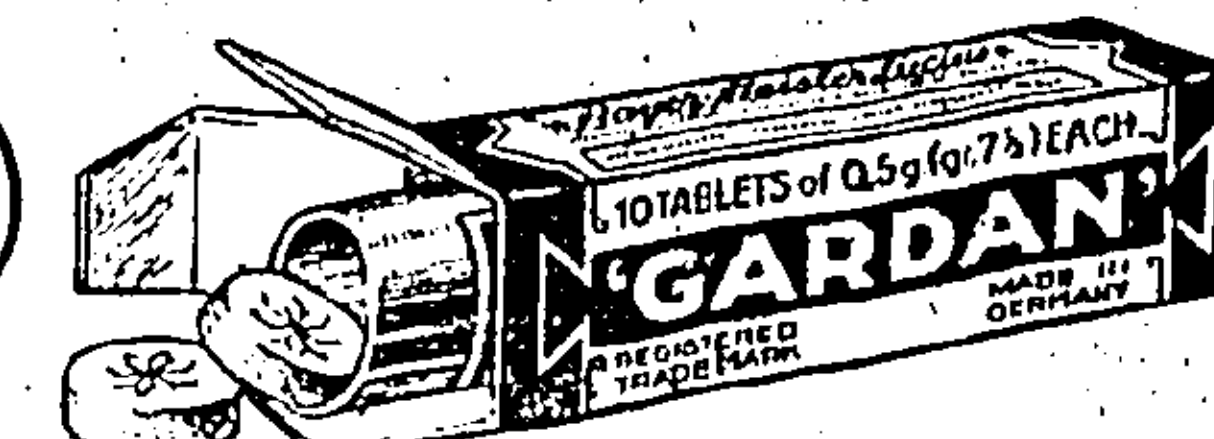
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A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Oct. 27.
Dow Jones averages:

| | Oct. 26. | Oct. 27. |
|----------------|----------|----------|
| 30 Industrials | 61.80 | 61.80 |
| 20 Rails | 27.04 | 27.00 |
| 20 Utilities | 27.18 | 27.42 |

Messrs E. A. Pierce & Co. Report:
—The market, as yet, denotes little beyond a small trading rally and indicates no immediate standpoint. A policy of leisurely buying should be followed, taking advantage of dips and not attempting to reach for stocks. Business done: 700,000 shares.

| | Oct. 26. | Oct. 27. |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Air Reduction | 56 3/4 | 57 1/4 |
| Allied Chemical & Dye | 72 1/2 | 73 |
| American Can | 51 | 52 |
| American Telephone & Telegraph | 103 1/4 | 103 1/4 |
| American Tobacco | 66 | 66 1/2 |
| Anacosta Copper Mining | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| Auburn | 42 1/2 | 41 |
| Borden Company | 27 | 25 1/2 |
| Canadian Pacific | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 |
| Chrysler Motors | 13 1/4 | 14 |
| Consolidated Gas of New York | 57 1/4 | 57 1/4 |
| Drugs, Inc. | 30 1/2 | 31 |
| Du Pont de Nemours | 33 1/4 | 34 |
| Eastman Kodak | 50 1/4 | 50 1/4 |
| Electric Bond & Share | | |

"TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

Numerous Pictures To-morrow

There will be a large array of topical pictures in to-morrow's issue of the *Telegraph* pictorial supplement, including a further batch of successful students in the Trinity College of Music examinations.

Weddings illustrated will be those of Mr. J. R. Hinton and Miss K. E. Keogh, Mr. A. H. Finnie and Miss Olive Dixon, Mr. A. C. Ford and Miss Joyce Hook, and Mr. A. F. Judd and Miss C. E. West.

Several pictures of the Hongkong University Arts Association's production of "The Rivals" will appear, as well as groups of Luard Hall students and of the St. John's Hostel basketball championship team.

Other pictures will include a group taken at the opening of the bazaar and fête in aid of the Children's Hospital and Orphanage of the Convent of the Sisters of the Precious Blood at Shamshuipo.

| | 24% | 24% |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| General Electric | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| General Foods | 28 1/2 | 28 1/2 |
| General Motors | 13 1/2 | 13 |
| Gillette Safety | 15 1/2 | 16 1/2 |
| International Harvester | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| International Tel. & Tel. | 9 1/4 | 9 1/4 |
| Liggett & Myers | 57 1/2 | 57 |
| Levy's Inc. | 23 1/2 | 23 1/2 |
| Montgomery Ward | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| National Biscuit | 35 | 35 1/2 |
| Pacific Gas & Electric | 26 1/2 | 27 1/2 |
| Pennsylvania Railway | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Radio Corporation | 7 1/2 | 7 1/2 |
| Sears Roebuck | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 |
| Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey | 20 1/2 | 20 1/2 |
| Socoy - Vacuum Corp. | 9 1/2 | 10 |
| Union Carbide | 23 1/2 | 23 1/2 |
| Carbon | 64 1/2 | 64 1/2 |
| United States Steel | 35 1/2 | 35 1/2 |
| Westinghouse E. & M. | 25 1/2 | 26 |

—Rector.



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21 YEARS AGO

EXTRACTS FROM THE "TELEGRAPH" FILES

The following extracts are from the *Hongkong Telegraph* for the week ended Oct. 28th, 1911.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 10d.

The Hon. Mr. A. W. Brewin, Secretary for Chinese Affairs, was invested with the C.M.G., and Mr. E. H. d'Aquino with the I.S.O.

A proposal was submitted to the Sanitary Board that licensed premises for the sale of food should be free from plaster ceilings, stair linings and wainscoting, as a preventive measure against breeding of rats.

The N.Y.K. liner *Shinyo Maru* arrived in Hongkong on her maiden voyage.

The rebellion against the Manchus continued, Canton declaring its independence. Fung Shan, the new Tartar General to Canton, was assassinated by a bomb on his arrival to take up office.

EXCHANGE RATES

| | Oct. 26. | Oct. 27. |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Paris | 83.11/10 | 83.9/10 |
| Geneva | 17.07 | 17.00 1/2 |
| Berlin | 13.85 1/2 | 13.80 1/2 |
| Helsingfors | 230 | 230 |
| Oslo | 19.65 | 19.60 |
| Athens | 575 | 570 |
| Milan | 64.5/16 | 64 1/4 |
| Buenos Aires | 1/9.11/16 | 1/9 1/2 |
| Shanghai | 3.29 1/4 | 3.28 1/2 |
| New York | 8.18 1/2 | 8.10 |
| Amsterdam | 11 1/4 | 11 1/4 |
| Vienna | 28 1/2 | 28 |
| Prague | 11 1/4 | 11 1/4 |
| Madrid | 40 1/4 | 40 1/4 |
| Bucharest | 555 | 555 |
| Hongkong | 1/4 1/4 | 1/4 1/4 |
| Brussels | 23.21/32 | 23.60 1/4 |
| Copenhagen | 19.10 1/4 | 19.18 1/4 |
| Stockholm | 19.20 | 19.12 1/4 |
| Lisbon | 109 1/4 | 108 |
| Rio | 5.9/32 | 5 1/2 |
| Bombay | 1/6.11/64 | 1/6.11/64 |
| Yokohama | 1/4 1/4 | 1/4 |
| Montevideo | 80 | 80 |
| Montreal | 3.61 1/4 | 3.63 |
| Bohgrade | 255 | 245 |
| War Loan | | |
| Assented | 99 1/4 | 18 1/4 |
| Silver (spot) | 17 1/2 | 18 1/4 |
| " (forward) | 17 1/2 | 18 3/10 |

—British Wireless.

I.I.D. CERTIFICATES.

Of the Societe Internationale de Placements, Basle. (Local Agents Messrs. A. Goetz & Co.) Thursday's official quotation in Basle, excluding dividends accrued was £2. 10s. 8d.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

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|----------------------------------|
| Hongkong Bank, \$380 n |
| Hongkong Lon. Reg. £118 1/2 n |
| Chartered Bank, £14 |
| Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £23 n |
| Mercantile Bank C., £9 1/2 n |
| East Asia, \$109 n |
| Am. O. Finance Corp., \$28 n |
| China O. Fin. Ord., £16 1/2 n |
| China A. Fin. Prof. £16 1/2 n |
| Insurance |
| Canton Ins., \$1355 b |
| Union Ins., \$512 b |
| China Underwriters, \$285 b |
| China Fire, \$620 n |
| H.K. Fire Ins., \$1180 n |
| International Asso. Tls. 4.15 b |
| Shipping |
| Douglases, \$25 b |
| H.K. Steamboats, \$23 1/2 n |
| Indo-China, (Pref.) \$35 n |
| Indo-China (Def.), \$32 n |
| Shell (Bearer), 47/6 n |
| Union Waterboats, \$20 1/2 b |
| Mining |
| Benguets, \$18 1/2 n |
| Kallans, 23/9 n |
| Langkats (Single), Tls. 4 n |
| S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n |
| S'hai Loans, Tls. 2.30 n |
| Venz: Goldfields, \$3.80 n |
| Benguet Exp., 17 cts. n |
| Docks, etc. |
| H.K. Wharves, \$148 b |
| H.K. & Docks, \$26 1/2 sa |
| S. China Motors A., \$10 n |
| S. China Motor B., \$8 n |
| Providents (old), \$4.85 b |
| Providents (New), \$2.20 n |
| Hongkows, Tls. 2.25 n |
| New Engineering, Tls. 5 1/4 n |
| Shanghai Docks, Tls. 90 n |
| Lands Hotels, etc. |
| Hotels (old), \$11.90 sa |
| Hotels (old), \$11.40 n |
| H.K. Lands, \$78 b |
| S'hai Lands, Tls. 2.4 1/4 n |
| Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 s |
| Humphreys, \$16 b |
| H.K. Realities, \$9.60 n |
| Asia Realities "A", \$140 n |
| Asia Realities "B", \$25 n |
| Chinese Estates, \$100 n |
| China Realities, Tls. 11.40 n |
| China Debentures Tls. 96 1/4 n |
| Cottons |
| Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.85 b |
| S'hai Cottons, Tls. 72 b |
| Zongong, Tls. 11.10 b |
| Wing On Textiles (S.) 145 n |
| Public Utilities |
| Tramway, \$21.75 n |
| Peak Trams (old), \$15.50 n |
| Star Ferries, \$91 b |
| Yaumati Ferries (old), \$35 b |
| Yaumati Ferries (new), \$34.25 n |
| China Lights (old), \$17.10 s |
| China Light (new), \$16.80 s |
| H.K. Electric, \$80 1/2 b |
| Macao Electric, \$26 b |
| Shamshuipo Electric, \$22 n |
| Telephones (old), \$29 1/2 n |
| Telephones (new), \$28.90 b |

China Buses, Tls. 10 n
Singapore Tracts, 2/- n
Singapore Pref., 14/- n

Industrial

Mahon Sugars, \$27 1/2 n

Cold: Macg. (Prof.), Tls. 10 1/2 n

Canton Iron, \$0 n

Comments (old), \$14.10 s

Comments (new), \$11 n

H.K. Ropes, \$12 1/2 s

Agriculture, \$10 1/2 s

Dairy Farms, \$28 1/2 b

Watsons (old), \$12.75 sa

Watsons (new), \$11.10 b

Dr. A. Wins, \$1 b

Sinceres, \$15.50 b

Lane Crawfords, \$5.60 b

Mackintosh, \$21 n

Wm. Pavells, \$3.85 n

Wing On (H.K.), \$235 b

Miscellaneous

Enterprises, \$12.70 sa

S. C. Enterprises, \$3 1/4 b

United Theatres, Tls. 5.25 b

Macao "Grovhounds", \$11 n

Construction (old), \$6.30 sa

Construction (new), \$1.80 b

B. Ind. G. S. Bonds, \$8 1/2 n

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"To-morrow and To-morrow," Philip Barry's play of a courageous, unconventional wife to whom marriage is not a sentimental obligation, is the latest starring film vehicle for Ruth Chatterton, recently completed at Paramount's west coast studios. This philosophical, yet clearly understandable, emotional drama is the present King's Theatre feature. Paul Lukas supports Miss Chatterton in the featured male lead. The play, the latest by the author of more than ten recent Broadway successes, enjoyed a long run in New York and is now playing in numerous large cities throughout America. It was hailed by critics as one of the best works of Barry, author of "Dinner at Eight" and "You and I." Miss Chatterton's part as a woman whose heart is divided between her earthly love, "eternal colleague" husband and a man who uncovers hidden romantic spots of her life, is said by preview critics to be her most dramatic role since entering pictures.

"One Heavenly Night."

In the shooting of a scene for "One Heavenly Night," which comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday next, Evelyn Love was seated in a limousine waiting to be picked up by Leon Kermal. That renowned comic opened the door, and with a proper amount of stage surprise, said, "You shouldn't have come!" The actress laughed. "What's the matter?" asked Director George Fitzmaurice. "It was just thinking that Samuel Goldwyn should use those words for a trade mark," was the reply. "They've been used in the last four pictures." A check-up proved her right. When Ronald Colman came to Joan Bennett's cottage to save her from the crooks in "Bulldog Drummond," she exclaimed, "You shouldn't have come here!" This same phrase was used in "Condemned" and "Raffles." And similarly Eleanor Hunt cautioned Paul Gregory when he came to warn her that her secret was after her and Eddie Cantor in "Whoopee." Every one of those pictures has proved a tremendous hit. Studio critics believe this common factor insures the success of "One Heavenly Night." Yet, it may achieve success for other reasons.

"Is Everybody Happy?"

Tin Pan Alley has moved to Hollywood with all its racket and in all its glory. Many of the most famous song writers of New York have now taken up their permanent residence in the film capital, and are expending their talents in supplying the songs which, with the advent of the talking picture, have become such an important part of film productions. Two of these writers, Grant Clarke and Harry Akst, have collaborated in writing the songs for "Is Everybody Happy?" The Warner Bros. and Vitaphone production starring Ted Lewis, now playing at the Queen's Theatre. Among the tuneless and characteristically Ted Lewis songs featured in this melodious picture of Broadway life are "Wouldn't It Be Wonderful?" "I'm the Medicine Man for the Blues" and "I'm Blue for You, New Orleans," while one catchy number, "Samoa," is sung by the ravishing Ann Pennington. In addition, a special song entitled "The Land of Jazz" was written especially for "Is Everybody Happy?" by Ray Perkins and J. Koern Brennan.

FIXING TH' WIFESH

(Continued from Page 6.)

for yearsh. I banged th' door an' came down town for a drinksh.

"Two drinks," we suggested.

"Yeah, maybe I hadda couple," Pete conceded.

"And what are you going to do now?"

"Dunno what to do."

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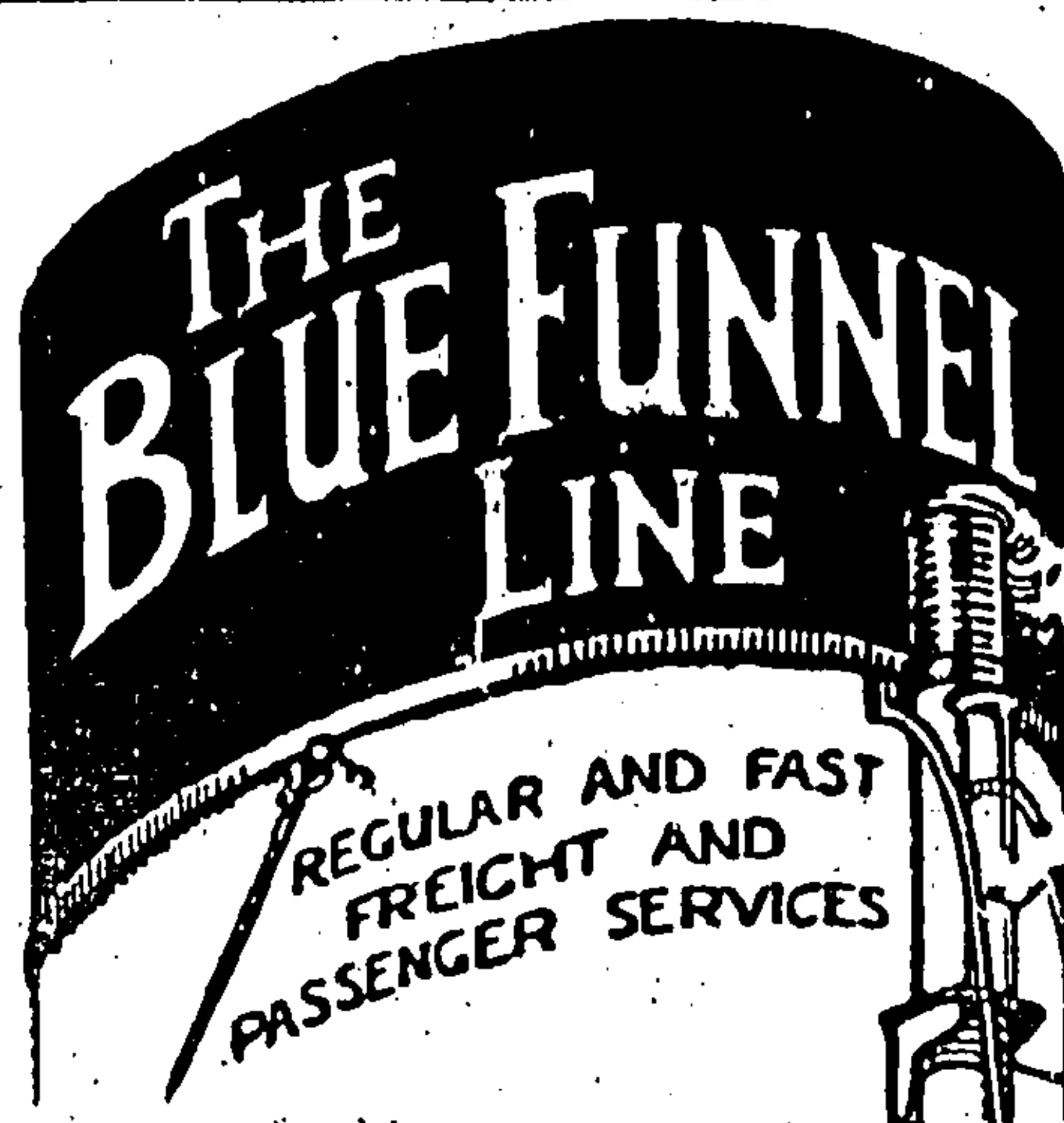
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H.K.C.C. MEETING

POSSIBLE CHANGE IN THE CRICKET INTERPORT

It was revealed at the annual general meeting of the Hongkong Cricket Club yesterday that possibly future Interport cricket teams will go up to Shanghai in October or November. This announcement was made by Mr. H. R. Hancock, who presided at the meeting, the reason being that during these two months, "one can be reasonably assured of good weather."

After asking the Hon. Secretary, Mr. L. S. Greenhill, to read the notice convening the meeting, Mr. Hancock said: "The report and accounts, with auditors' certificate attached, having been in your hands for the prescribed period, I will, with your permission, follow the usual procedure and take them as read."

The report fully covers the activities of the Club for the period under review, but I should like to take this opportunity of enlarging on it a little.

Two Interport cricket matches have been played against Shanghai since our last meeting a year ago. The first one here in November which resulted in a win for our friends from the North and the second one in May this year in Shanghai which we won by the narrow margin of 42 runs.

Most of you will remember that owing to very bad weather it was touch and go whether the game in Shanghai would be played at all, and as it was, it was only carried through under extremely unfavourable conditions to both sides. I should like to congratulate Mr. Mitchell and his team on their victory. It is not always possible as you know to get the best talent for a visiting side, but the "will to win" and the cheery optimism of the Hongkong players have no doubt were no mean factors in our victory. It has been suggested that our visit to Shanghai should take place say in October or November, when one can be reasonably assured of good weather and this time will be given a trial when our turn comes to visit the Northern Port. We shall meantime look forward to a visit from Shanghai in November, 1933.

The Club's Showing.

Before leaving this subject of Interport cricket I want again to thank all those who financially and otherwise helped to make the visit of the Shanghai team here last November the success I think it was. Without the assistance we received it would hardly be possible to carry through a cricket Interport successfully.

With regard to local cricket, I am sorry the Club did not make a better showing. However there appears to be good deal of new talent this season, and I hope both the 1st and 2nd XI's under the able captaincy of Mr. Hayward and Mr. Gahagan respectively will see that we are at the head of both the 1st and 2nd League.

Mr. Sayer is to be congratulated on leading the 1st XI batting averages, and Mr. Hamilton the bowling, also Mr. Elliot and Mr. Wolf the batting and bowling averages respectively of the 2nd XI.

The annual lawn tennis tournament was again carried through successfully. There was a very slight decline in the number of entries, though gate receipts were not up to former years. Our thanks are due to the officials and sub-committee, who ran the tournament so efficiently. The Runjahn cousins for the 8th year in succession won the Open Doubles Championship of the Colony and Mr. S. A. Runjahn once again won the Singles.

The final of the annual Hong Doubles was played off this afternoon and resulted in a victory for Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.

The Accounts.

Turning now to the accounts, I hope you will agree that they are satisfactory. The gross profit at working account is \$8,070.25—some \$3,370 lower than the previous year—but you will notice that gate receipts for the annual tennis tournament are down by about \$1,000, which is beyond our control. The loss of sale of tennis gear, principally balls is \$42.35 against a profit of \$1,000, I would emphasize that tennis playing members get their tennis balls at very cheap prices. We hope this

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year to do better in this respect, as we have lately made arrangements which we hope will prevent a loss in future, but we cannot expect big profits on this item so long as the present system of supplying balls to members is in force.

Bar profits are also down by nearly \$1,000, but I would mention that charges for drinks to members have not varied appreciably during the past twelve months—in spite of the fluctuations in exchange and duties. This accounts for the lower profits, in spite of the larger turnover.

These three items you will see make up the \$3,000 mentioned above.

Balance Sheet.

Turning to the balance sheet, you will see we have a credit balance with our Bankers of \$3,217.63.

Member Debtors. The amount shown in the balance sheet is \$7,751.14. Since the 31st August the collections against this amount to \$5,354.68—\$2,396.46 of the balance still to come in being considered good and a provision of \$176.98 has been made under Sundry Creditors for these accounts considered doubtful.

Sundry creditors and credit balances is made up largely of various bills for August.

Whilst on the subject of members' accounts, I would once again ask members and subscribers with small accounts to pay a deposit of say \$10 against bills—both as a convenience to themselves and to the Hon. Secretary, a great deal of his valuable time on our behalf is spent in writing letters to members who are behind in their payments. I referred in my speech at the annual general meeting of 1929 to this same subject, and if a little more consideration were shown by members a great deal of unnecessary work would be saved.

A Complaint Book.

One or two members have approached me with suggestions which they considered would be to the benefit of members as a whole. These have mostly been accepted by your Committee and are in force. One of them was a complaint book, which will be kept in the Secretary's office, and which is not to be removed. If any member has at any time any suggestion to make for the benefit of members as a whole, I can assure you it will receive the earnest consideration of your Committee.

I do not think I have anything further to say, beyond a personal reference to the Committee and the Hon. Secretary. I would like to take this opportunity of thanking them for their willing co-operation in all matters in connexion with the Club. Gentlemen, I can assure you that they are all good workers and have the best interests of the Club at heart.

I now beg to propose the adoption of the report and accounts as presented, and when this has been duly seconded I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any questions members may wish to ask in connexion with them.

The report was seconded by Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy and passed unanimously.

New Officers.

Proposed by Mr. F. Syme-Thompson and seconded by Mr. P. Jackson, Mr. Hancock was unanimously re-elected President of the Club.

Messrs. Livingston and Davies were re-elected Auditors on the proposal of Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, seconded by Mr. W. Wright.

The following were elected to the Committee:—Messrs. H. J. Armstrong, A. C. Beck, A. C. I. Bowker, V. R. Gordon, A. W. Hayward, R. M. Hargreaves, P. M. Hodgson, E. J. R. Mitchell and T. E. Pearce.

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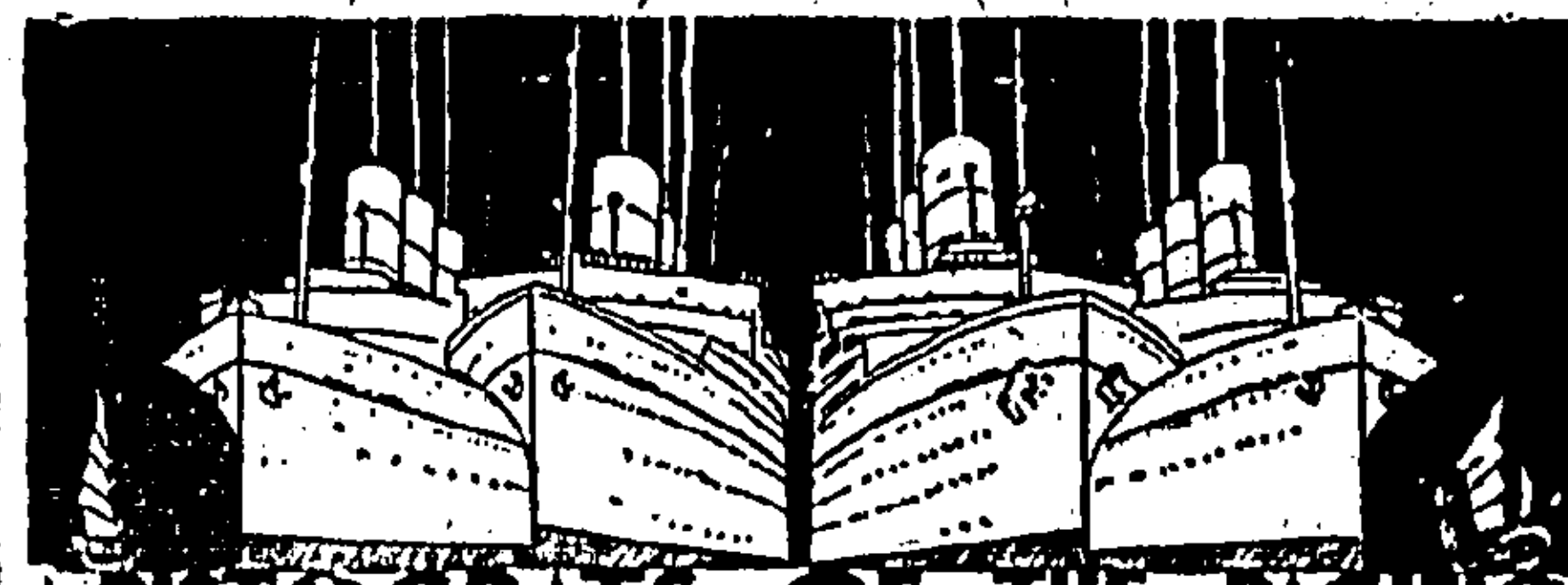
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A conviction was recorded, and each of the three men charged was ordered to pay a fine of \$100. The case was marked by much legal discussion on the constructive and progressive meaning of the "threat" contained in the charge; counsel for the defence, (Mr. Hing-shing Lo) holding that if it was a threat at all, it did not entail violence, and, therefore, did not amount to a criminal act.

Guild Investigators.

In this case the three men, occupying the position of "guild investigators", pleaded that they were sent out to see that certain regulations governing the organization, and which had received the blessing of the Secretariat of Chinese Affairs, were complied with by members. They were held to have gone beyond their functions and infringed the law, when finding five workmen on a Conduit Road building site who were not members of their Guild, they took their trowels from them.

"If a man faced with a civil suit," argued Mr. Lo, quoting a legal precedent, "threatens to burn his adversary's house unless he withdraws his suit, that is criminal intimidation. But in the present case, he merely takes the other man's trowel, but he has not taken away his livelihood. The mason, it is true, has had to suspend work for some little time, certainly not more than a quarter of an hour, but he is not deprived of his wages for that period. He has not lost anything."

Charge Caps Offence.

His Worship referred to the wording of the charge, which was that Leung Ngau, Lo Ting and Tsang Sam "unlawfully did threaten Wong Sing, Wan So, Wan Ngan, Ny Yee and Suen Sam with an illegal act, to wit, to deprive the said persons of their livelihood as masons if they failed to do an act which they were not legally bound to do, to wit, to become members of the Kwong Yee Tong Guild,..." and held that every word of that charge was proved. He was satisfied that the accused unlawfully did threaten the masons, by taking away their tools and making their intention clear that they would return them only if and when they joined their guild.

The penalty section of the Ordinance text came under the attention of the Court, and his Worship said that the summary maximum penalty of six months and a \$500 fine was to be compared with the sentence of five years if the accused were sent to the Higher Court on an indictment.

A General Warning.

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AT ANNUAL MEETING

Mr. A. L. Shields was elected Commodore of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club at the annual meeting of the club yesterday. The vice-commodore, Mr. H. S. Rouse presided over a large attendance.

The following report of the General Committee was presented to the meeting: The period under review is one of some importance in the history of the club since, during the year, the reclamation of the club basin has been commenced and is progressing rapidly. As members are aware this will eventually result in the removal of the club to a site elsewhere and a sub-committee, to deal with this most important question, has been formed which is in communication with the Government.

The committee take this opportunity of recording their thanks to Messrs. Shields, Vernal and Dulle for the trouble and time they have expended on behalf of the club and also of asking for the support and co-operation of every member during the difficult time which lies ahead. The membership of the club at present stands at 320.

During the year 38 new members have joined the club together with 26 new subscribers whilst nine members and seven subscribers have resigned.

Admiralty Warrants.

The committee takes this opportunity to stress once more the need for more yacht owners to take out Admiralty warrants to fly the Blue Ensign of the club. The warrant is at present held by nine members only. As stated in last year's report the yachts of club members will be measured and registered by the authorities at one half the regular fees. Forms of application for the warrants can be obtained from the hon. secretary and the hon. sailing secretary.

The usual races for the "Trevoran Trophy" were held during the year and members are asked to do all they can to promote interest in the race, not only amongst the shipping companies of the Colony but also amongst the general public.

Last year's report announced the launching of a new club cruiser under the name "Monsoon" to replace "Typhoon." "Monsoon" has been sold and a new boat of the same class is now on the slips to replace her. During the year our Commodore, Mr. E. W. Carpenter, retired after 31 years of untiring effort in the interests of the club and the general committee wish to place on record their keen appreciation of all he has done.

The club's thanks are also due to Mrs. Rouse, the hon. librarian, for her hard work in dealing with the literary side of the club's activities through yet another year.

Substantial Profit.

The Treasurer's report showed a profit of \$2,063.93 had been made during the year. General expenses had dropped by \$394 but maintenance of the clubhouse had increased by \$507. The reserve account now stands at

ship made it clear that he considered it a very light fine. He impressed on the accused that this leniency merely served as a warning on the present occasion, but that offenders in future cases would not be so fortunate.

No person, his Worship said, in this Colony could be forced to join any organization or guild such as theirs, however lawful that organization or guild might be, against his will; and no form of violence or force whatever was to be used. He hoped that the Chinese press would report the case so that it might serve as a general warning and guidance in guild circles.

RADIO EXHIBITION.

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Opening on November 16 on the 8th floor of the Gloucester Building, a Radio and Refrigerator Exhibition, sponsored by the leading retailers of Hongkong, is sure to prove of interest to many of the Hongkong public. The exhibition is to last two days, and already a dozen of the largest firms in the Colony have signified their willingness to participate.

The Hongkong Broadcasting Committee has promised to co-operate with the Exhibition by providing a continuous programme on both days from 11 a.m. to 7.30 p.m., and announcements will be made from the studio from time to time during the exhibition.

In order that each firm shall be able to demonstrate their apparatus, times have been allotted for each stand. At night demonstrations of short wave reception will be given.

The following firms have signified their intention of exhibiting apparatus at the Exhibition:

Messrs. Anderson Music Company, Messrs. S. Moutrie and Co., Radio Service Ltd., Electric Service Corporation, Messrs. Anderson, Meyer and Co. Ltd., Messrs. Rudolph Wolf and Kow, Messrs. Reiss, Massey and Co. Ltd., The Asia Electric Company and the General Electric Company.

The Hon. Secretary of the Exhibition is Mr. G. F. Gilbert.

The Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders of Hongkong advertise that the dance that was to be held in the Institution on the 28 inst. has been cancelled.

\$53,536, an increase of \$1,067 on last year's figure.

The chairman moved the adoption of the reports and balance sheet. Mr. J. Bentley, who seconded, congratulated the committee on the excellent results of the year's work.

The chairman said this was the first time in the history of the club that a profit of more than three figures had been shown in the balance sheet. In other years there had been losses which had been written off by the benefactions of Commodores. He regarded the satisfactory state of affairs as a happy augury for the future of the club, which he felt sure would go from strength to strength.

Mr. Rouse dealt with each section of the club's activities and declared that remarkable progress had been made in each.

In answer to a question, the chairman said it was not anticipated that the club would be called upon to move for two years.

Election of Officers.

The following officers and committees were elected for the ensuing year—Commodore, Mr. A. L. Shields; vice-Commodore, Mr. H. S. Rouse; rear-Commodore, Mr. G. G. Wood; joint hon. secretaries, Messrs. E. J. Vernal and M. I. de Villiers; treasurers, Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews; hon. librarian, Mrs. H. S. Rouse; sailing committee, Commodore Lewis, Major Lockner, Major Stewart, Messrs. V. Goulburn, B. Naess, C. F. Hyde and G. H. Gander; rowing committee, Messrs. G. T. May, G. S. Stoppani-Thompson, D. J. Easterbrook, Schmidt and Andrews; house committee, Messrs. G. T. Padgett, E. S. Carter and B. E. Maughan; bowls committee, Messrs. J. Bentley, Macfarlane and A. Murdoch.

Appreciation of the services of the late Commodore, Mr. Carpenter, were placed on record.

Notes of thanks were carried to the auditors, press and chairman.

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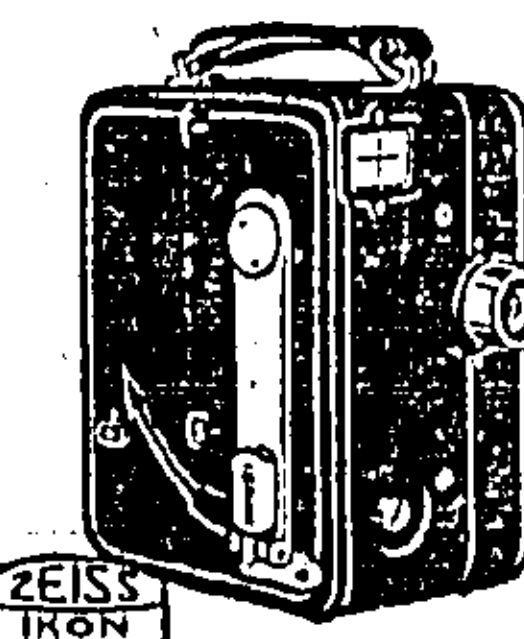
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catch and she had also made it evident that she was going to ride the roan. Her pride ruled over her better judgment which told her that she had not been in a saddle for several years except to canter along a bridle path and that she had her rope on a spirited horse who could and would buck. For a second she hesitated, then her eyes twinkled and her full lips parted. With a devastating smile she faced the cowboy.

"Shorten the stirrups and knot the reins for me. Then saddle this fellow. I intend to ride him."

(To be continued.)

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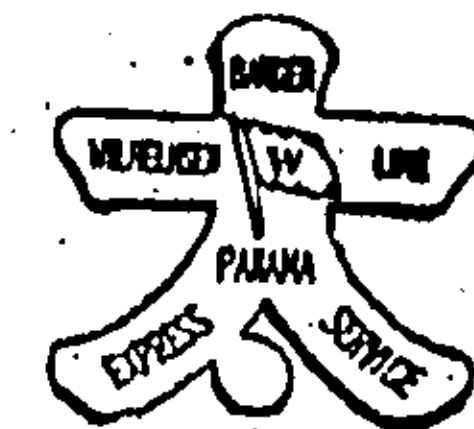
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| COMORIN | 15,000 | 4th Nov. | S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama |
| *LANDA | 7,000 | 6th Nov. | S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama |
| RANPURA | 17,000 | 18th Nov. | S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama |
| SIRDHANA | 8,000 | 18th Nov. | Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka |
| *SONDAN | 6,800 | 25th Nov. | S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama |
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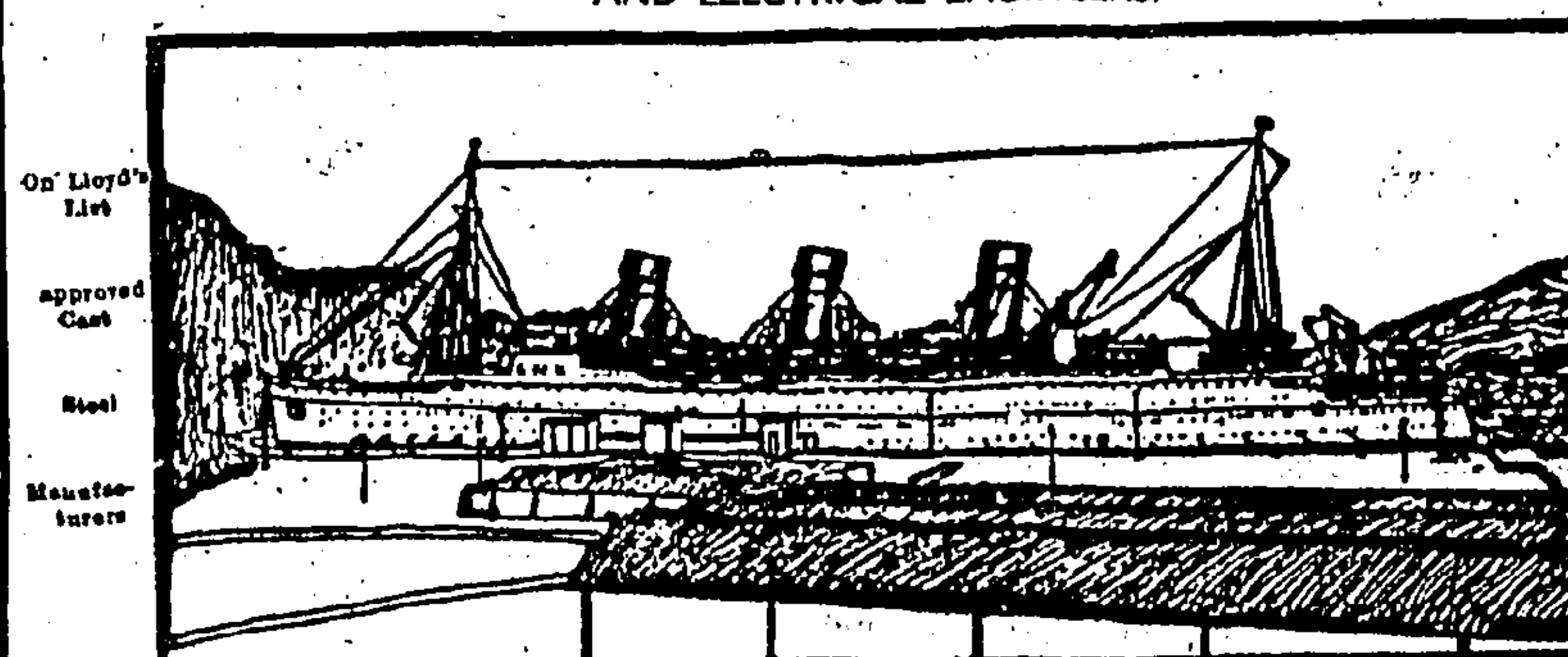
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At the Kowloon Magistracy at this morning, Mr. J. G. Raven, of N.A.A.F.I., was summoned for driving his motor-cycle along Nathan Road between Bowring Street and Pitt Street on October 17 at 30 miles an hour.

Pleading guilty to the offence, Mr. Raven said he did not realize that this was a controlled area. The signs were not very clear and he was unaware that he was committing an offence.

Sergeant Parnell, who prosecuted, admitted that the area became a controlled one only a month ago. A fine of \$10 was imposed.

Mr. C. M. Gosano was cautioned for driving his motor-cycle without a front white light. He said he took the cycle out at about 9.25 p.m. on the night in question and five minutes later he had an accident which resulted in his light going out. He was taking the cycle to the repair shop when he was arrested.

FASCIST RULE PRAISED

HONGKONG ITALIANS FOREGATHER

The tenth anniversary of the Fascist march on Rome, which is being observed throughout Italy as a day of national rejoicing, was fittingly commemorated by the Italian community of Hongkong at a reception at the Italian Consulate this morning.

Every member of the Italian community was present, and orations were delivered by the Acting Consul General, Capt. R. Ferrajolo, and by Professor E. Gualoli, the Secretary of the Fascist Party in Hongkong.

Capt. Ferrajolo, in his speech, outlined the history of the march on Rome, and illustrated the work

ROYAL ROMANCE RUMOURS AGAIN

PRINCESS INGRID PAYS VISIT TO LONDON

London, Oct. 27. Princess Ingrid of Sweden arrived in London this afternoon, having flown from Belgium, where she has been staying, to Croydon in an Imperial Airways liner.

The Princess usually visits her grandfather, the Duke of Connaught, at least once yearly.

It was recently reported that Princess Ingrid's engagement to Prince George would be announced, but this was officially denied.

Rumour still persists, however, that a betrothal is impending. It is now suggested that when Prince George reaches the age of 30, as he will do on December 20, his birthday gift from His Majesty will be a Dukedom, which may be followed by the announcement of his forthcoming wedding to Princess Ingrid.

Royalty-wise London gossipers of another school, however, still link the Princess's name with that of the Prince of Wales—British Wireless and N.E.A.

achieved by every branch of the organisation during the past ten years. Emphasising the results achieved in Italy during the first decade of the regime, Capt. Ferrajolo said that the rehabilitation of Italy was made possible solely through the magnetic personality and untiring work of Il Duce, Signor Mussolini.

In concluding, Capt. Ferrajolo outlined the form of assistance which the Italian Government will, in future, give to Italians living abroad.

H.M.S. HERMES IN AGAIN

STAYING UNTIL THE EAGLE ARRIVES

Preceded by two flights of aeroplanes, which arrived at Kai Tak aerodrome soon after dawn, H.M.S. Hermes steamed into port this morning.

The Hermes will remain here until May next when she will be relieved by H.M.S. Eagle, the giant 22,000 ton aircraft carrier, more than twice the size of the Hermes.

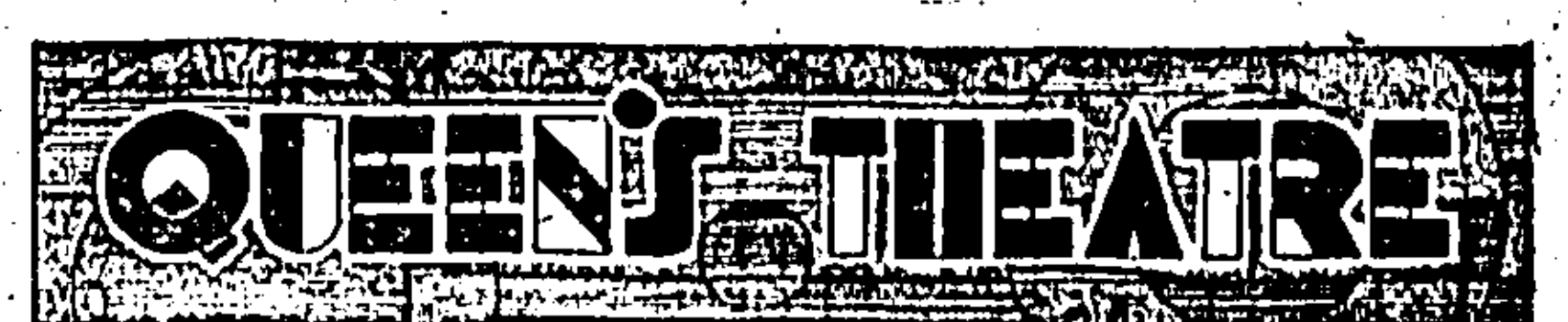
H.M.S. Bridgewater has left Chefoo, and is expected to arrive in Hongkong within the next three or four days.

H.M.S. Cumberland will now leave Hongkong for England, where she will be refitted and recommissioned before returning to Hongkong, on November 3.

The middle of next week will see no fewer than fifteen foreign warships in port in Hongkong, the largest number that has been here for some years. They will include the French flagship Primauguet and the French sloop Argus, the American destroyer depot ship U.S.S. Black Hawk, the U.S.S. Fulton, which has been assigned to South China Waters and ten American destroyers, namely, the Whipple, Smith, Thompson, Barker, John D. Edwards, Post, Edsall, Stuart, Pirie, Paul Jones, and the Pillsbury. The U.S.S. Black Hawk and the destroyers which arrive on November 2, will remain in port a week before proceeding to their home base at Manila.

The U.S.S. Houston, the flagship of the American Asiatic Squadron, with the Commander-in-Chief, Admiral M.M. Taylor, aboard, will arrive here on November 12. Accompanying the U.S.S. Houston will be the Commander-in-Chief's private yacht, the Isabel.

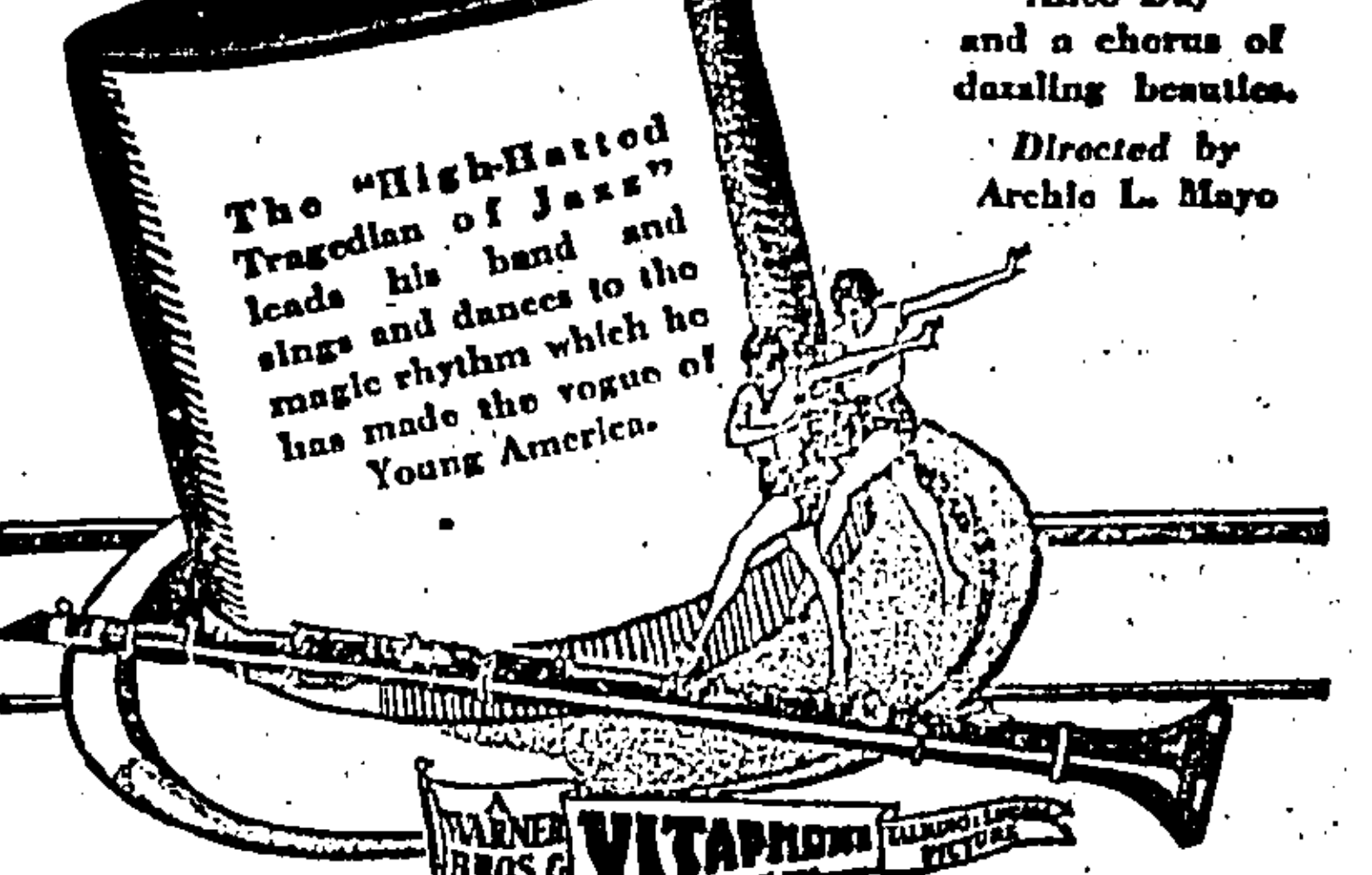
The Feast of the Kingship of Christ will take place on Sunday, at the Catholic Cathedral, with the same services as in previous years. Morning service will be at 8 a.m. and evening service at 4.30 p.m.



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